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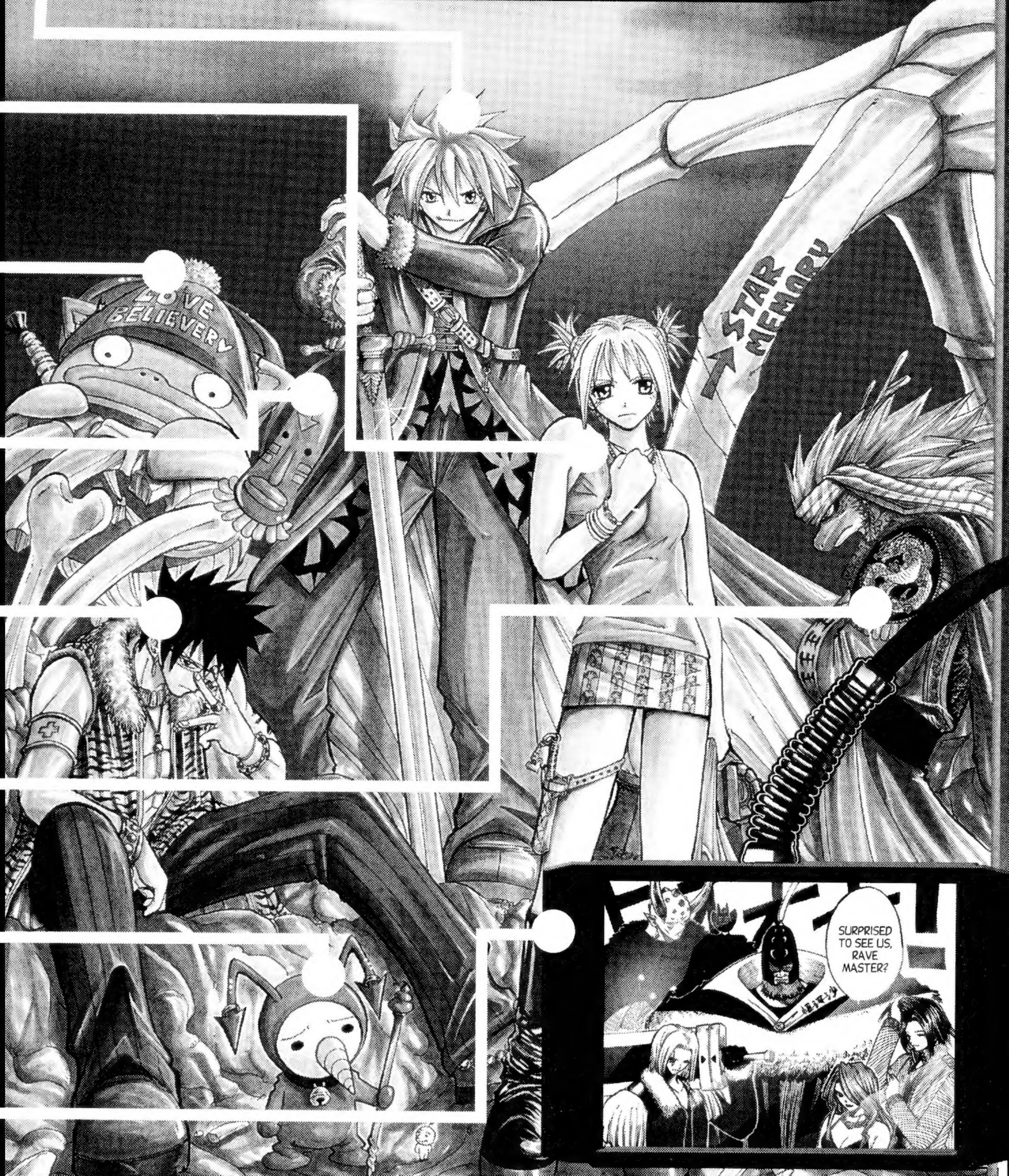
THE RAVE MASTER™ CREW

HARU GLORY	A small-town boy turned savior of the world. As the **Rave Master** (the only one capable of using the holy weapon RAVE), Haru set forth to find the missing Rave Stones and defeat Demon Card. He fights with the **Ten Powers Sword,** a weapon that takes on different forms at his command. With Demon Card seemingly out of the way, Haru now seeks the remaining two Rave Stones in order to open the way to Star Memory.
ELIE	The girl without memories. Elie joined Haru on his quest when he promised to help her find out about her past. She's cute, spunky and loves gambling and shopping in equal measures. Locked inside of her is the power of **Etherion.**
RUBY	A "penguin-type" senteniod, Ruby loves rare and unusual items. After Haru saved him from Pumpkin Doryu's gang, Ruby agreed to sponsor Haru's team in their search for the ultimate rare treasures: the Rave Stones!
GRIFFON KATO (GRIFF)	Griff is a loyal friend, even if he is a bit of a coward. His rubbery body can stretch and change shape as needed. Griff's two greatest pleasures in life are mapmaking and peeping on Elie.
MUSICA	A **"Silverclaimer"** (an alchemist who can shape silver at will) and a former street punk who made good. He joined Haru for the adventure, but now that Demon Card is defeated, does he have any reason to stick around?
LET	A member of the Dragon race, he was formerly a member of the Demon Card's Five Palace Guardians. He was so impressed by Haru's fighting skills and pureness of heart that he made a truce with the Rave Master.
PLUE	The **Rave Bearer,** Plue is the faithful companion to the Rave Master. In addition to being Haru's guide, Plue also has powers of his own. When he's not getting Haru into or out of trouble, Plue can be found enjoying a sucker, his favorite treat.
THE ORACION SIX	Demon Card's six generals. Haru defeated Shuda after finding the Rave of Wisdom. The other five generals were presumed dead after King destroyed Demon Card Headquarters.

THE STORY SO FAR...

After a fierce battle against **Doryu** (and a scary moment when **Haru** momentarily faded from existence), our heroes finally stop for a rest at the merpeople's village. But there is no rest for the wicked, as **DC's** super secret "**Project DR**" is set in motion. After saying goodbye to **Celia**, Haru and the gang set sail in a flying ship...only be attacked by **Jegan** and a flock of dragons. The survival of our heroes rest squarely on Let's shoulders, as he and Jegan prepare for the mother of all clashes!


LOVE BELIEVER
STAR MEMORY
SURPRISED TO SEE US, RAVE MASTER?

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RAVE:147 ✚ LET'S RESOLVE

SO EAGER TO DIE...
ブオオオオオオ
I AM NOT THE SAME AS WHEN LAST WE MET. PREPARE YOURSELF.
IS THAT SO?
JULIA ...
!
ジュッ
バチィー!
WHAT?!!

バッ
!!
ANOTHER DRAGON ?!
ダーー
くるっ
ドスッ
THIS IS...
OF COURSE I WOULDN'T FIGHT ATOP MY DELICATE JULIA.
THIS IMPERIAL DRAGON HAS MUCH TOUGHER HIDE THAN THE OTHERS.
TAP TAP
EVEN A SWORD AS SHARP AS MINE CAN'T CRACK ITS SCALES!

LET'S SETTLE THIS... ONCE AND FOR ALL.
ドゴォォォ!
WHAT DO WE DO?! AT THIS RATE, WE'RE GONNA LEAVE LET WAY BEHIND!
THE SHIP'S TAKING A BEATING! IF WE STAY AROUND THESE FLYING LIZARDS...
...SHE'S GONNA GO DOWN IN A BALL OF FLAMES!!
IN THAT CASE... I HAVE NO CHOICE.
ボォーー!
I MUST ACCELERATE THE SHIP.
WHY DIDN'T YOU TRY THAT BEFORE WE WERE SWARMED BY DRAGONS?!
SO IT IS OKAY TO LEAVE LET, POYO?!

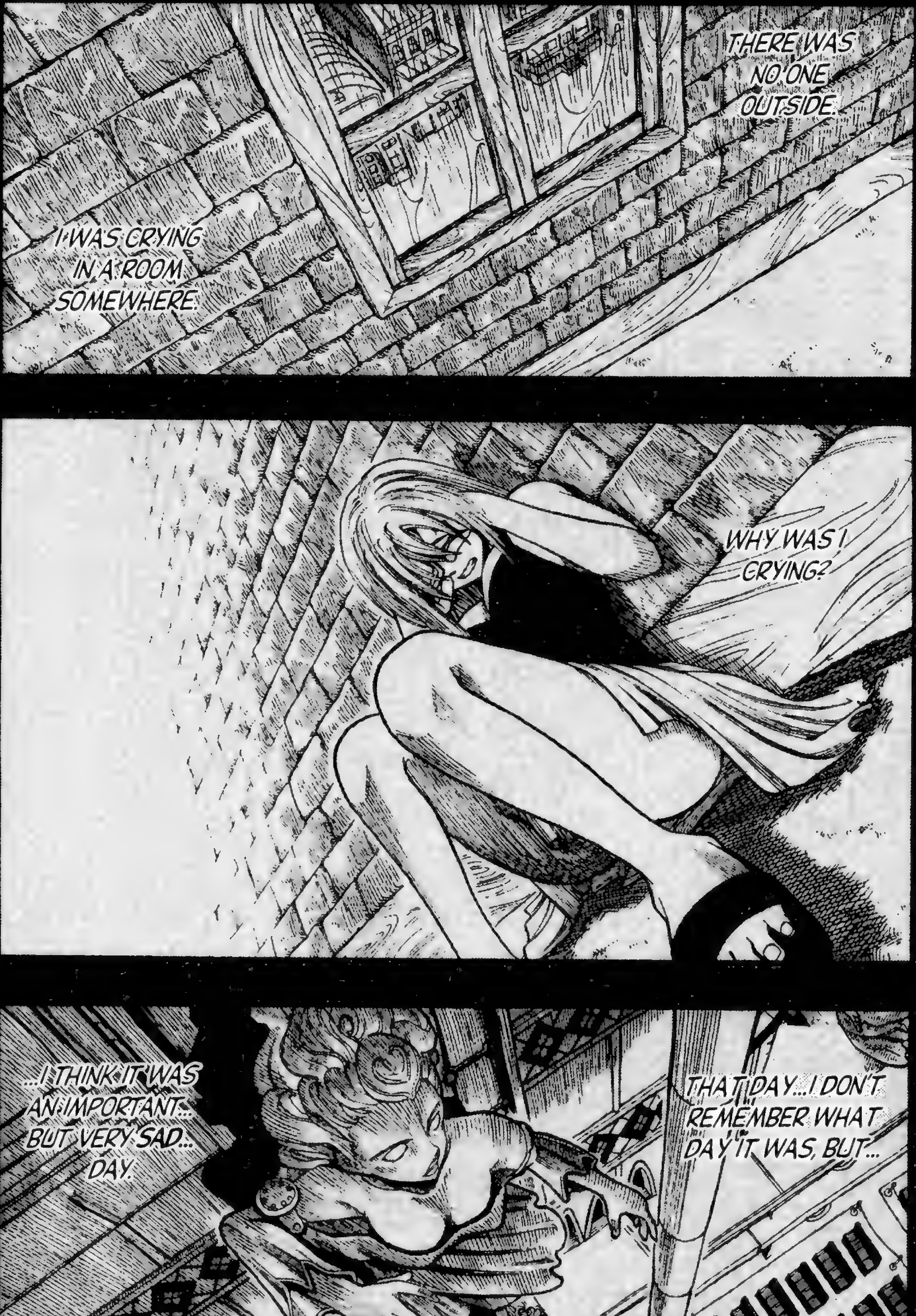
I'LL BE FINE.
GO ON.
I'LL RENDEZ-VOUS WITH YOU LATER.
龍
ON THE CONTRARY-- THESE ARE YOUR FINAL FARE-WELLS.
LET DID LOSE TO HIM ONCE BEFORE...
HARU...

TRUE FRIENDS SHALL NEVER PART.
FRIENDS...
LET CALLED US FRIENDS, POYO.
ALL RIGHT, BONY!! SPEED US UP!!!
AYE-AYE, SIR!
ビシッ

TURBO MAGIC...
ゴル
ON!!!
カッコッ
フオオオオオ…
DRAGONS!! DO NOT LET THE RAVE MASTER ESCAPE!!
HE IS NOTHING BEFORE YOUR POWER!!! SHOW HIM THE MIGHT OF THE DRAGON RACE!!!
KILL HIM!!!
オオオオ
RIP HIM TO PIECES!!!

GOOD LUCK, LET! I KNOW YOU'LL BEAT HIM!
COME BACK SOON!!
DON'T FORGET YOUR PROMISE!!!
ドゴォ

PUUN!!
PUPUUN!!
ブブブブ
PUUN!!
PUPUUN!!
I THINK IT WAS RAINING THAT DAY...


THERE WAS NO ONE OUTSIDE.
I WAS CRYING IN A ROOM SOMEWHERE.
WHY WAS I CRYING?
THAT DAY... I DON'T REMEMBER WHAT DAY IT WAS, BUT...
...I THINK IT WAS AN IMPORTANT... BUT VERY SAD... DAY.

SOMETHING HAPPENED THAT DAY...
I THINK SOMEONE WAS WAITING FOR ME.
KAIM SAID TO GO OUTSIDE...
...BUT I STAYED INDOORS AND CRIED.
YES...
THAT'S RIGHT...
THAT DAY...
I'D DONE SOMETHING TERRIBLE THAT DAY.
I WANTED TO APOLOGIZE... I WANTED TO FIX THINGS...BUT I COULDN'T. I COULDN'T... SO I CRIED.

ガ
!!
ばっ
HUH...? WHAT THE--?!
I'M NAKED?
ELIE!! YOU OKAY?!
ガチャ
!
You can guess what happened next...

ゴォォオオオ オオ…
UNLESS I DEFEAT HIM...
...I'LL NEVER GET JULIA BACK...AND THE DRAGONS PURSUING HARU WILL NOT BE QUELLED.
オォオ
PREPARE YOURSELF!!
THEY ARE ALL COUNTING ON ME!
だんッ
STEEL DRAGON EDGE!!!
ばっ
ズオォッ
BRING IT ON.

ブアアッ
ズバッ
シュ シュッ シュ シュ
YOU HAVE IMPROVED... A BIT.
BUT TELL ME--AT THE BATTLE AT SYMPHONIA...
...DO YOU REMEMBER HITTING ME WITH A SINGLE STRIKE?

ゴゴォ
DO YOU REALLY THINK YOU CAN BURN ME WITH FIRE?!
ギュ
MY YGGDRASIL DB ABSORBS ALL DAMAGE!
ウウウウウ！
W-WHAT'S GOING ON?!
I CAN'T SEE!!
!!

HOW WAS THAT?
GRIN
ばっ
!
にゅる
パカ
ドドドドド

たんっ
ばっ
しゅたっ
ドドドドドド…
ドドドドドドド
ぎゅるるるる…
ばっ
ド！
GAH!

GOTCHA.
NNNGH!!
TO STRUGGLE IS POINTLESS. THE TREE GROWS BY ABSORBING YOUR STRENGTH.
WELL, WELL... NOW DOESN'T THIS LOOK FAMILIAR.
....

IT'S OVER.
YOUR FRIENDS WON'T SAVE YOU THIS TIME.
GAAH!!!

WHAT?!
ゴオオオ
オオオォ
YOU SCORCHED YOUR OWN ARM!!
ジュウウウウ
I WILL NOT... CAN NOT... LOSE.
FOR JULIA'S SAKE... AND FOR MY FRIENDS.

RAVE MASTER

RAVE:148 THE APPOINTED HOUR

HOW'RE YOU FEELING, ELIE?
GREAT! NEVER BETTER!
LITTLE BY LITTLE, PIECE BY PIECE...
...MY MEMORY IS COMING BACK.
BUT WHAT HAPPENED ON THAT DAY?
WHAT DID I DO?!
ATTENTION, EVERYONE! WE WILL BE ARRIVING AT KOLSA KADERA PLAINS ON SOUTH IIMA SHORTLY...
WHAT? ALREADY?
DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF MERMAID MAGIC.

OH NO, POYO!
ゴロゴロゴロコロ…
ハッ!!
THE DRAGONS ARE STILL FOLLOWING US, POYO!!
WE SHOULD KEEP GOING UNTIL WE REACH A CITY!
NO WAY! THESE DRAGONS ARE **OUR** PROBLEM!
IF WE LEAD THEM INTO A CITY, IT WOULD BE A DISASTER.
WE HAVE TO COUNTER-ATTACK ON THE PLAINS!
GOOD THINKING. THEN WE CAN REALLY GIVE 'EM HELL.
AND IF LET DEFEATS JEGAN, THE DRAGONS WILL CALM DOWN, TOO!
I SEE IT!! IIMA CONTINENT!!
ゴオオオオオ

ギュウウウウ
ズガァァァ
ギャァァァァァ
NICE LANDING, STARRY! COULDN'T YOU HAVE TAKEN US DOWN A LITTLE SOFTER?!
NEED I REMIND YOU THAT THIS SHIP WAS BUILT FOR THE SEA?
NO TIME TO LOSE! GET READY TO FIGHT!!
ELIE, RUBY-- YOU GUYS COMIN'?
YOU BET!!
I'LL FIGHT, POYO!!

TIME FOR ROUND TWO!! LET'S GO!!!
DASH
ゴゴゴゴゴ
VERY NICE, LET.
YOU'RE CERTAINLY STRONGER THAN YOU WERE BEFORE.
ドク!
ドク!
I APPLAUD YOUR EFFORT.
HOWEVER, YOU REMAIN NO MATCH FOR THE POWER OF THE GREATEST OF THE ORACION SIX!
NO MORE TRICKS, JEGAN. LET'S SETTLE THIS HAND-TO-HAND.
HAND-TO-HAND? DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
YOU COULDN'T BEAT ME WITH TWO ARMS--SO WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU CAN DO IT WITH ONLY ONE?
ドド

YOU ARE A FOOL TO TAKE ME SO LIGHTLY.
ALBERO BLADE!!!
!!
ドゴオオオオ
TREES?!
DON'T CONFUSE ME WITH SHUDA AND REINA!
ヒュ！
ヒュ！
ヒュ！
ヒュ！
NOW WITNESS THE TRUE POWER OF THE ORACION SIX!!
UGH!!
THEY ARE FAST!!

FIRE DRAGON FLARE!!!
YOU LET YOUR GUARD DOWN.
TREE LEAF SLICE!!
NNGH!!
LET US SEE HOW YOU DEAL WITH THIS!
SECRET ART...
!!

HEAVENLY DRAGON TIGER BLOW!!!
PATHETIC.
シュバッ
SECRET ART... BLACK DRAGON TRIPLE SLASH!!!
IS THAT THE BEST YOU'VE GOT, LET?
GEHACK!!

ドサッ
HOW...?! MY GREATEST ATTACKS... COMBINED...
HEH HEH HEH... YOU JUST DON'T GET IT, DO YOU?
THE SIX STAR YGGDRASIL DB ABSORBS ALL POWER!
YOU CANNOT WIN.
I'M NOT DONE YET... BUT AT THIS RATE... I WON'T LAST LONG...!
HE'S SO STRONG...! I WAS TOO CARELESS!!
JULIA...
FOR NOW YOU MUST WAIT...

オオオオ
オオオオオ
オオオオオ
SO MANY DRAGONS... I'M IMPRESSED.
I CAME IN CASE JEGAN FAILED... BUT IT APPEARS THAT WON'T BE A CONCERN.
MASTER DEEP SNOW! ONE OF THE DRAGONS IS--
GAH!!
IN THE END, THEY'RE JUST **BEASTS** THAT CANNOT DISTINGUISH **FRIEND** FROM **FOE.**
オオオオオ...

くるっ
SNAP
SNAP
SNAP
SNAP
SNAP
SNAP
NOT VERY RELIABLE.
Twisted?
OH, WELL...I SUPPOSE I'D BETTER STAY AND WATCH–JUST IN CASE.
THAT'S DRAGONS FOR YOU! EVEN DEFEATING ONE IS A FEAT!
IF MR. LET DOESN'T WIN SOON, THIS WON'T BE PRETTY.
LET IS NOT THERE WITH YOU?
PUUN!!
MASTER SAGA!

YOU CAN EXPLAIN WHAT HAPPENED LATER. LET ISN'T IN THE SOUTH, IS HE?
WELL, YES... WHY?
HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN MY PROPHECY?!
THE PART FOR LET?!
"TO THE SOUTH, SOMETHING PRECIOUS TO YOU WILL BE LOST TO THE DARKNESS."
I REMEMBER... BUT THAT DIRTY JOKE FULFILLED IT ALREADY.
IT DID NOT.
EH?!
THE MEANING MAY BE UNCLEAR...
...BUT THIS IS THE APPOINTED HOUR.
WHAAT?!
TH-THEN...?!
SOMETHING PRECIOUS, YOU SAY...?!

EVEN I, WITH MY POWERS, CANNOT SEE WHAT IT IS. IT MAY BE NOTHING, BUT...
MISS JULIA!!!
THAT BLACK DRAGON--JULIA--IS VERY PRECIOUS TO MASTER LET!!!
POOR MR. LET IS GOING TO LOSE HIS ONE TRUE LOVE! O' WOEFUL DAY! WOE! WOE!
IS IT POSSIBLE TO CHANGE THE FUTURE YOU SAW?
MMM...
THE FUTURE IS A TRICKY THING. I DO NOT KNOW.
BUT ABOUT THE PROPHECY...
WHAT IF THE PRECIOUS THING IS NOT JULIA, BUT RATHER...
...LET'S OWN...

TOO STRONG...
SO THIS IS THE ORACION SIX'S TRUE POWER!
LONG AGO, YOU SAID THAT...
...YOU WANTED TO BE STRONGER THAN ANYONE.
IS THIS THE PINNACLE OF YOUR PURSUITS?!
A WEAKLING LIKE YOU HAS NO RIGHT TO JULIA!
GUAAH!!

HMPH. AND YOUR TWISTED OBSESSIVE "LOVE" GIVES YOU THAT RIGHT?
SILENCE!!!
I AM THE DRAGON RACE'S FINEST WARRIOR! I ALONE AM WORTHY OF JULIA!!!
ガス
ドガッ
ガスッ
DON'T YOU DARE LECTURE ME, WEAKLING!!!
Huff... Huff... Huff...
HEH HEH HEH...
JUST GIVE UP. THOSE ARMS WON'T HIT ANYTHING, NOW.
EVEN IF I WERE TO LET YOU LIVE, YOU COULD NEVER FIGHT WITH THOSE USELESS APPENDAGES EVER AGAIN.
YOUR LIFE... IS OVER.

I B-BEG TO DIFFER...
!
I NEEDN'T L-LIVE TO SEE ANOTHER DAY...
ユラ
ALL THAT MATTERS... IS THAT I DEFEAT YOU **HERE** AND **NOW**.
はっ
THAT STANCE!!!
THE DRAGON RACE'S FINAL SECRET ART...

BY EXALTING THE DRAGON GOD, ONE CAN BE GRANTED **UNPARALLELED POWER**...
...BUT ONLY IF ONE IS WILLING TO **SACRIFICE** HIS OWN **LIFE** TO HIM.
THE LEGEND HANDED DOWN FROM THE ELDERS...
THE ULTIMATE ART, TRADING ONE'S LIFE FOR THE POWER OF THE DRAGON GOD...
YOU WOULD THROW AWAY YOUR LIFE JUST TO **BEAT ME?!**
YOU'LL NEVER SEE JULIA AGAIN!!
I KNOW.

THAT WAS SETTLED FROM THE VERY BEGINNING.
BUT NOW IT SEEMS THAT CAN NEVER BE.
JULIA...FROM THE MOMENT I REALIZED YOU STILL LIVED...I COULDN'T REST UNTIL I SAW YOU AGAIN...

BUT... YOU WILL RETURN TO YOUR FORMER SELF.
はっ
AND... HARU...
I AM GLAD TO HAVE KNOWN YOU ALL.
STOP!!
TRUE FRIENDS NEVER PART...
...FOR THEIR HEARTS ARE BOUND TOGETHER.

ULTI-MATE SECRET ART...
SHNK
...ROAR OF THE DRAGON GOD!!

RAVE MASTER
HOW LONG WE BEEN DOIN' THIS?!
ABOUT AN HOUR!
I'M ALREADY POOPED...
SPINNING... I'M OUT, POYO!
MASTER PLUE, TAKE RUBY SOMEWHERE SAFE!!
PUUN!!
THERE'S STILL SO MANY LEFT...
THINGS ARE GONNA GET UGLY REAL QUICK.
Huff
Huff
Huff
HANG IN THERE, EVERYONE!
LET'S GONNA WIN FOR SURE!

THE GROOVE ADVENTURE
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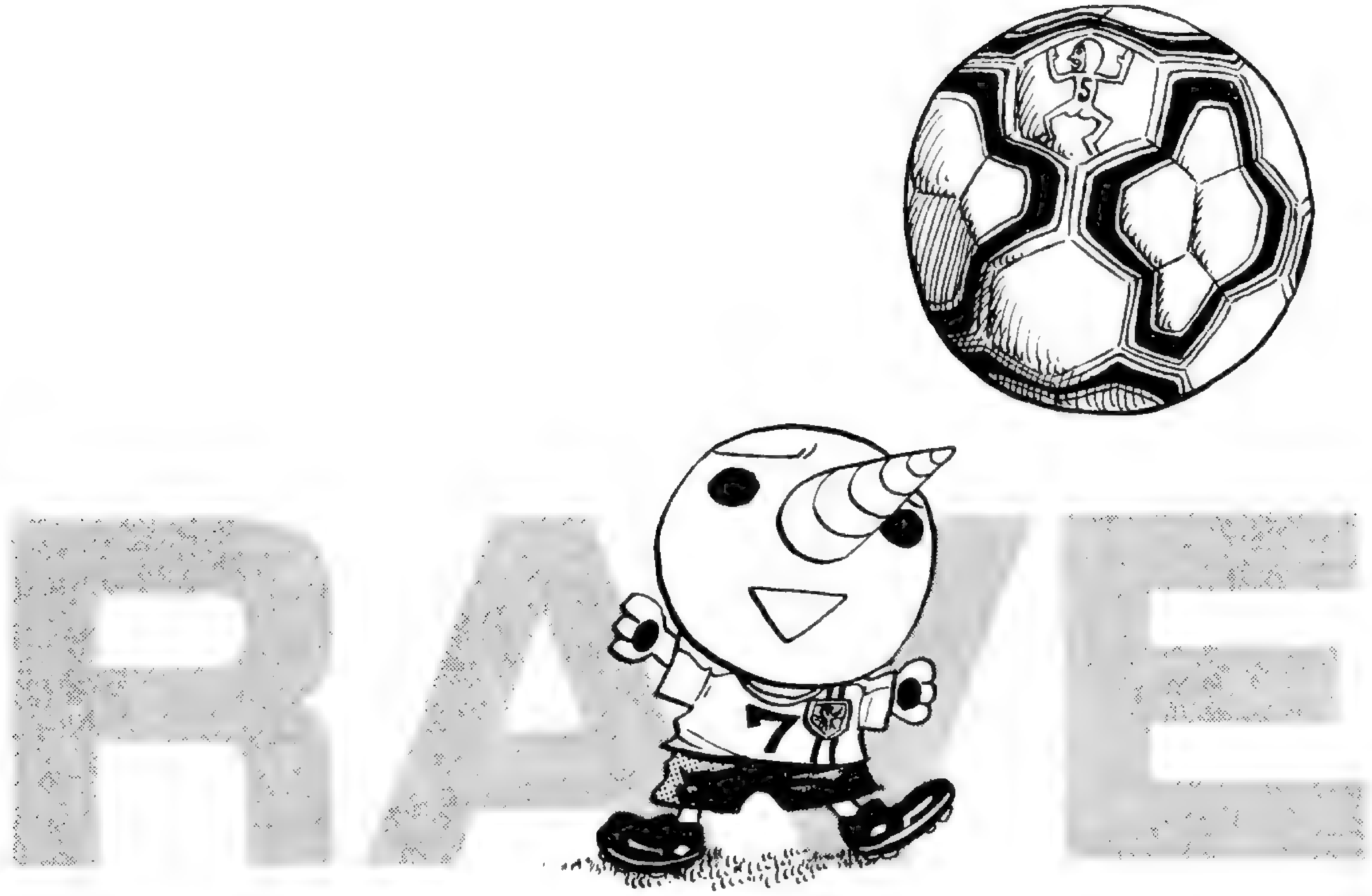
MASTER

RAVE:149 + FINAL BATTLE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ULTIMATE SECRET ART...ROAR OF THE DRAGON GOD!!
WOOSH
NOW HIS POWER IS WITHIN MY HANDS!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
IT'LL KILL YOU! DO YOU WANT TO DIE?!

DID YOU FORGET?
THIS IS MY FINAL BATTLE.
......!!!!
CRAP!!!
だんっ
NO DRAGON RACE COULD MASTER THAT SECRET ART!
YOU COULDN'T HAVE LEARNED IT!
URTUK
URTUK
URTUK

IMPOSSIBLE! THE STEEL SHATTERED ON IMPACT ALONE!
WITNESS THE DRAGON GOD'S POWER...
ROAR OF THE DRAGON GOD!!!
CRACK
THIS TECHNIQUE ALLOWS ONE TO TRANSFORM HIS FLESH AND BECOME INVINCIBLE.

CRACK
CRACK
STILL... I AM ONE OF DC'S MIGHTIEST WARRIORS ...
...AND MASTER OF A SIX STAR DARK BRING.
I WILL NOT LOSE TO TRASH!
TAKE THIS!! ALBERO BLADE!!!
ドゥオォ
SEED VULCAN !!!

YOU CAN'T DODGE BOTH AT ONCE!!
シュババババッ
ドドドドッ
ドドドドド
シュバババババ
WHAT?!
HE BEAT THEM ALL AWAY?!

THE DRAGON GOD'S POWER...
...DOES NOT BESTOW WEAKNESSES TO THOSE WHO OFFER THEIR LIVES.
CRACK
CRACK
FOOL... THE SEEDS TOUCHED YOU. NOW YOU'LL HAVE TO BURN BOTH ARMS!
THAT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY.
NOT ONE OF THEM TOUCHED ME.
!!
AIR PRESSURE?!
YOU MEAN YOU BEAT ALL THAT AWAY WITH AIR ALONE?!
MY TIME LEFT ON THIS EARTH IS SHORT.
LET'S GO.

GUAH!!
G-GA...
AH...
AH!!
バンダム

ズギャァアァ
OOF!!
CRACK
よろっ
EVEN YGG-DRASIL CAN'T STOP SUCH POWER!
JUST A FEW HITS AND I CAN'T STAND STRAIGHT?!
AND I THINK MY NOSE IS BROKEN!
バタッ!!
IT CAN'T BE...I...I'M LOSING?!
KOFF
I, A MEMBER OF THE ORACION SIX... LOSING TO LET?!
ぐらっ
!

IF I DIE, WILL I BE ALONE AGAIN...
...LIKE I WAS BACK THEN?
I LIVED ALONE SINCE I WAS A CHILD.
FOR SOME REASON, PEOPLE DIDN'T TRUST ME... SO THEY STAYED AWAY.

FRIENDS... FAMILY... I THOUGHT I DIDN'T WANT ANY.
Wheee!
Tee hee!
Ha ha!
BUT THEN...
YOU'RE ALWAYS HERE WATCHING.
WANNA PLAY TOGETHER?
...JULIA CAME AND SPOKE TO ME.
WHAT, THIS FELLOW?
HE TALKS LIKE AN OLD MAN.
I'M JULIA. THAT'S LET. AND YOU ARE?
YEARS PASSED...
...BUT I NEVER MADE ANY REAL FRIENDS.

I WAS ALWAYS QUIET, SHY...AND IF THEY COULDN'T GET PAST THAT, THAT WAS FINE BY ME.
AT LEAST JULIA--AND JULIA ALONE--WAS KIND TO ME.
AT OUR VILLAGE'S ANNUAL TOURNAMENT, I CHALLENGED LET IN THE FINAL ROUND.
I HAD DECIDED THAT I WOULD TELL JULIA HOW I FELT RIGHT AFTER.
WAAAA
THE WINNER!!
YEAH!!!
JULIA...

BUT ...
...I'M THE ONE WHO WON!
I WAS A FOOL.
THAT'S WHEN I FIRST LEARNED ABOUT...
...THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN LET AND JULIA.
THERE WAS NO PLACE FOR ME BETWEEN THEM.

BUT I WANTED JULIA--NO MATTER WHAT I HAD TO DO!
ぐっ
NOW THAT I HAVE HER...
...I WON'T LET HER GO AGAIN!
ゴオオオ
I WON'T LET YOU TAKE HER FROM ME!!
EVEN IN HER PRESENT STATE-- I STILL LOVE HER!!
YOU FOOL!!!

DO YOU THINK NOTHING OF HER HAPPINESS?!
SCUM LIKE YOU HAS NO RIGHT TO LOVE HER!!!
YOU ARE NOT THE MAN I CALLED FRIEND LONG AGO!!
FRIEND?! IS THAT WHAT YOU THOUGHT?! WHAT A JOKE!!
YOU NEVER ONCE TREATED ME LIKE A FRIEND!!

A FALSE FRIEND, THEN.
......
YOU WERE THE FRIEND AND RIVAL I COULD NOT SURPASS.
YOU WERE SILENT. YOU DID NOT LET YOUR FEELINGS SHOW.
I DID NOT KNOW YOU HAD FEELINGS FOR JULIA. IF I HAD KNOWN--
DON'T TOY WITH ME! WHAT?! ARE YOU PITYING ME?! I DON'T WANT YOUR PITY!!
WHAT DO YOU UNDERSTAND?!
I CANNOT READ A PERSON'S MIND...
...BUT PERHAPS WE CAN NOW UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER...

...BECAUSE WE LOVED THE SAME WOMAN.
FRIEND...? LOVED THE SAME WOMAN...?
IT NEVER OCCURRED TO ME...
RUSTLE

……
DAMN IT!!
DAMN IT ALL!!
JULIA!!!
WHEN YOU REGAIN YOUR ORIGINAL FORM...
...HELP HARU AND THE OTHERS IN MY PLACE.
I DON'T WANT TO BE ALONE AGAIN!!
NO! NOT TRULY ALONE!! NEVER AGAIN!!
IT ENDS HERE.

I NOW SEVER THE TWISTED BONDS BETWEEN US!!
CHOMP
TAKE YOUR MALICE AND HATRED WITH YOU TO THE NEXT WORLD!!

JEGAN...
JULIA...
ブル...
ブル...
...HARU... AND THE OTHERS...
MY TASK IS COMPLETE.
ドサ
NOW THE ORACION SIX IS DOWN ONE MAN.
FAREWELL...

RAVE MASTER™

RAVE:150 ✠ IRREPLACEABLE HEART

Huff
Huff
Huff
Huff
ゴッ
!
あっ
ドガァン
KYAAAAAH!!
ELIE!!
がくん!!

THIS IS BAD...
Huff
Huff
Huff
I'M... PANT... ALL OUT... GASP... OF STEAM...
MR. LET...
PUUN!!
ぴく
ぴく
UNGH ...
ELIE!!
I CAN'T MAKE IT!!
ガァァァァ

ギュオオオ
ギュルル…
HUH?!
ぶあっ
WHAT'S THIS...?
ゴゴゴゴゴ
LOOK! THE DRAGONS...!!
JEGAN...
...LOST ?!

ゴオオオオ
THEY'RE GOING AWAY!
ぽたん
W... WE'RE S-SAVED...
どかっ
PHEW ...!
HE DID IT...
LET WON!!

オオオオオ
ゴゴゴゴ
ブルブルブル
グァァァァ

アアアアア
ズリ
ズリ
ズリ
ズリ
がらんっ
ぐりんっ
アーアーアーア…
キュゴオオオ

JULIA...
IN THE END, YOU DID CHOOSE LET OVER ME.
I HAVE BEEN DEFEATED...
...IN BODY... AND SOUL.
NEVER HAVE I TASTED ITS LIKE BEFORE...
NEVER HAVE I EXPERIENCED UTTER DEFEAT.

SHE DRANK THE ELIXIR...
I MUST PUT MY FAITH IN A MIRACLE...

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パ

YOU'RE BACK TO YOUR FORMER FORM. I'M GLAD.
JULIA...
NOW I HAVE NO REGRETS...

LET...
YOU CAN HEAR ME...
... RIGHT?

IS THIS...
...THE AFTER-LIFE?
YES.
I AM DEAD.

JULIA ...?
LET!

OH, I'VE WANTED TO SEE YOU FOR SO LONG!
I...I DIDN'T THINK I'D EVER RETURN TO THIS FORM!
THANK YOU SO MUCH, LET!!
THANK YOU!!

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!
ARE YOU...
ARE YOU REALLY JULIA?
AM I... ALIVE?
YOU ARE.
BUT... HOW CAN THAT BE...?

DID YOU FORGET THE KISS?
WHEN YOU THREW IT TO ME, I DIDN'T DRINK THE WHOLE POTION.
I DIDN'T KNOW IF IT WOULD BE ENOUGH, BUT I SAVED THE OTHER HALF FOR YOU.
I SEE...
SO I AM ALIVE AFTER ALL...
NOW DON'T SAY IT LIKE THAT.
TRY TO FEEL HAPPY THAT YOU'RE ALIVE!
AT THIS MOMENT...
...MERE WORDS CAN NOT EXPRESS HOW I FEEL.

Colsa Kadera Plains
A MEMBER OF THE ORACION SIX LOST TO ONE OF THE RAVE MASTER'S LACKEYS?!
I WAS WARNED NOT TO UNDERESTIMATE THEM.
ゴゴゴゴゴゴゴ
NOW THAT THEY ARE WEAK, THIS IS THE BEST TIME TO STRIKE.
I WILL BE YOUR NEXT OPPONENT.

MMM... NOT QUITE.
NOT THIS ONE, EITHER.
HEY, JANA... ISN'T THAT ENOUGH ROCKS FOR TODAY?
GROCK! THESE AREN'T ORDINARY ROCKS!
THEY'RE MATERIALS FOR MY SCULPTURES.
THERE'RE GOOD STONES AND BAD STONES. IF WE GET A GOOD ONE IT'LL BE GREAT...!
I DON'T GET THIS SCULPTURE THING. IF YOU PICK HUSBANDS LIKE YOU PICK ROCKS, YOU'RE NEVER GETTIN' MARRIED.
Heh heh...
YOU TALK TOO MUCH!
I DO WANT A BOY-FRIEND... BUT WHAT'S WRONG...
ムスッ
...WITH BEING CHOOSY?
SPLISH
!!

RAVE MASTER™

Wrist Dome-- The Roofed City
GEEZ...I DON'T KNOW WHO BUILT THIS ANCIENT DOME...BUT IT'S A REAL PAIN! I'M BAKING ALIVE IN HERE!
DIDN'T THEY KNOW THAT A DARK ROOF ABSORBS HEAT?
NOT THAT AGAIN...
ANYWAY...DON'T YOU THINK JANA'S DESIGNS FOR THE DOME'S WALLS ARE GREAT?
HMPH. I'D RATHER THE WHOLE THING JUST WENT AWAY.
HEY, DID YOU HEAR? JANA FOUND SOME GUY WASHED UP UNCONSCIOUS ON THE BEACH TODAY!
HA! I'D LIKE TO FIND SOME CHICKS THAT WAY!
THEY SAY HE HAS SOME WEIRD MARK UNDER ONE OF HIS EYES...
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RAVE:151 ✠ AN UNJUST WORLD

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OH! YOU'RE AWAKE!
YOU WASHED UP ON THE BEACH.
THIS IS MY ROOM. I'M JANA, THE SCULPTOR.
I'M... ALIVE?
HM?

YUP! I CALLED A DOCTOR OVER, BUT YOUR LIFE WASN'T IN DANGER.
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DAMMIT!!
HEY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
I SHOULD BE DEAD! I HAVE TO BE DEAD!!
PEEL
THAT'S IT! I CAN'T LIVE IN SHAME LIKE THIS ANY LONGER!!
UM... WHERE ARE YOU...?
SHUT UP!! BE QUIET!!
PLEASE, WAIT!! YOUR BODY IS STILL--
DON'T FOLLOW ME!!!
SCARY GUY... THOUGH HE IS KINDA CUTE.
MAYBE HE'S MY TYPE?
IT'S NOT THE TIME FOR SUCH THOUGHTS!
I DON'T KNOW IF HE'S SERIOUS, BUT I CAN'T JUST LET HIM KILL HIMSELF!
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YOU!!
I TOLD YOU NOT TO--

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HUH?
THE SAME MARK?!
THAT'S... THAT EMPIRE BIG SHOT...
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GENERAL JADE!
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WHAT'S JADE DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
BROTHER...

IT'S BEEN A WHILE, JEGAN. I HEAR YOU'VE BEEN RUNNING WITH DEMON CARD THESE DAYS.
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BROTHER...? DC...?
CHANCE... FATE...I NEVER EXPECTED THAT AN OVERHEARD COMMENT IN A TAVERN WOULD LEAD ME BACK TO YOU.
I HAVE NOTHING TO SAY TO YOU NOW.
YOU SAID IT YOURSELF-- I AM NO BROTHER OF YOURS!
EVEN NOW, I REGRET BRINGING YOU TO THE SURFACE LONG AGO.
AND NOW YOU'RE IN DEMON CARD...IT SEEMS NEITHER OF US CAN ESCAPE THE PASSAGE OF TIME.
YOUR HOME, THE EMPIRE, WAS DESTROYED... BY US.
I KNOW. I HEAR THE SOLDIERS' WEEPING HEARTS IN MY DREAMS.
SO WHAT? YOU'RE SEARCHING FOR REVENGE? OR SURVIVORS OF THE EMPIRE?

NO. I TRAVEL TO MEET THE RAVE MASTER.
HE HOLDS THE KEY TO THE WORLD. I NEED TO FIND OUT SOMETHING.
FIND OUT WHAT?
FROM WHERE HAILS...
...THE GREAT WILL THAT INFUSES HIS BLADE.
HEH...AS DELUDED AS EVER.
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

I SEEK A PLACE TO DIE.
I'VE ALWAYS STRAYED FROM THE PATH.
AS A RESULT, I LOST MY ONLY FRIEND...AND THE ONE I LOVED. I HAVE NOTHING LEFT.
DO NOT SAY THAT.
WHAT OF YOUR FAMILY?
YOU ARE NOT ALONE.
STRAYING FROM THE PATH DOES NOT MEAN YOU CAN NEVER STEP BACK ON IT.
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
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WHATEVER HARDSHIPS YOU'VE FACED...I BELIEVE YOU CAN LIVE A **GOOD LIFE** FROM HERE ON.
JUST LIKE ME... BECAUSE WE'RE **FAMILY.**
FAMILY...
LIFE...
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OH! JEGAN...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
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UM...UH... I DECIDED TO MAKE A SCULPTURE...
HMPH.
THE WINGS AND LEGS ARE WAY OFF BASE.
EH?
WELL...THAT'S BECAUSE I HAVEN'T SEEN A REAL DRAGON.
IS THAT SO? THEN LET ME SHOW YOU A REAL ONE AS MY THANKS.
AND MAYBE NOT JUST ONE... MAYBE EVEN A FEW OF THEM...

AH HA HA! YOU'RE SUCH A KIDDER, JEGAN. I LIKE THAT.
AH... ER...
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EEEEK!!
WAAAH!!
WHA- WHAT'S GOING ON?!
SAVE ME!!
RUN! GET OUT OF THE CITY!
UWAAAAH!!
AIEEEEE!!

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World's Mightiest Sorcerer-- Shakuma
THE SEALED AWAY SPACE MAGIC, METEORITE SHOWER!!
MAGNIFICENT! MY MASTER CAN CONTROL EVEN THE HEAVENS!
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WHAT HAVE YOU DONE, YOU MONSTER?!
WHY?! WHY HAVE YOU DONE THIS?!!
UWAAAAGH!!

TO ELIMINATE JEGAN.
THE WEAK HAVE NO PLACE AMONG US.
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THIS IS THE FOURTH SINCLAIRE STONE.
THE RAVE MASTER NOW POSSESSES "VAMPIRE," THE FINAL PIECE.
CATCH
SOON WE WILL REACH STAR MEMORY, THE LEGENDARY BIRTHPLACE OF ALL.
THE REST IS UP TO YOU, DEEP SNOW.
MASTER LUCIA!! GOOD NEWS!!
HAJA HAS OBTAINED THE FOURTH SINCLAIRE!!
MASTER LUCIA!!
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HE'S NOT HERE?
WHERE'D HE GO...?

I WILL TAKE THE LAST SINCLAIRE MYSELF.
IT IS TIME TO DO BATTLE... RAVE MASTER.

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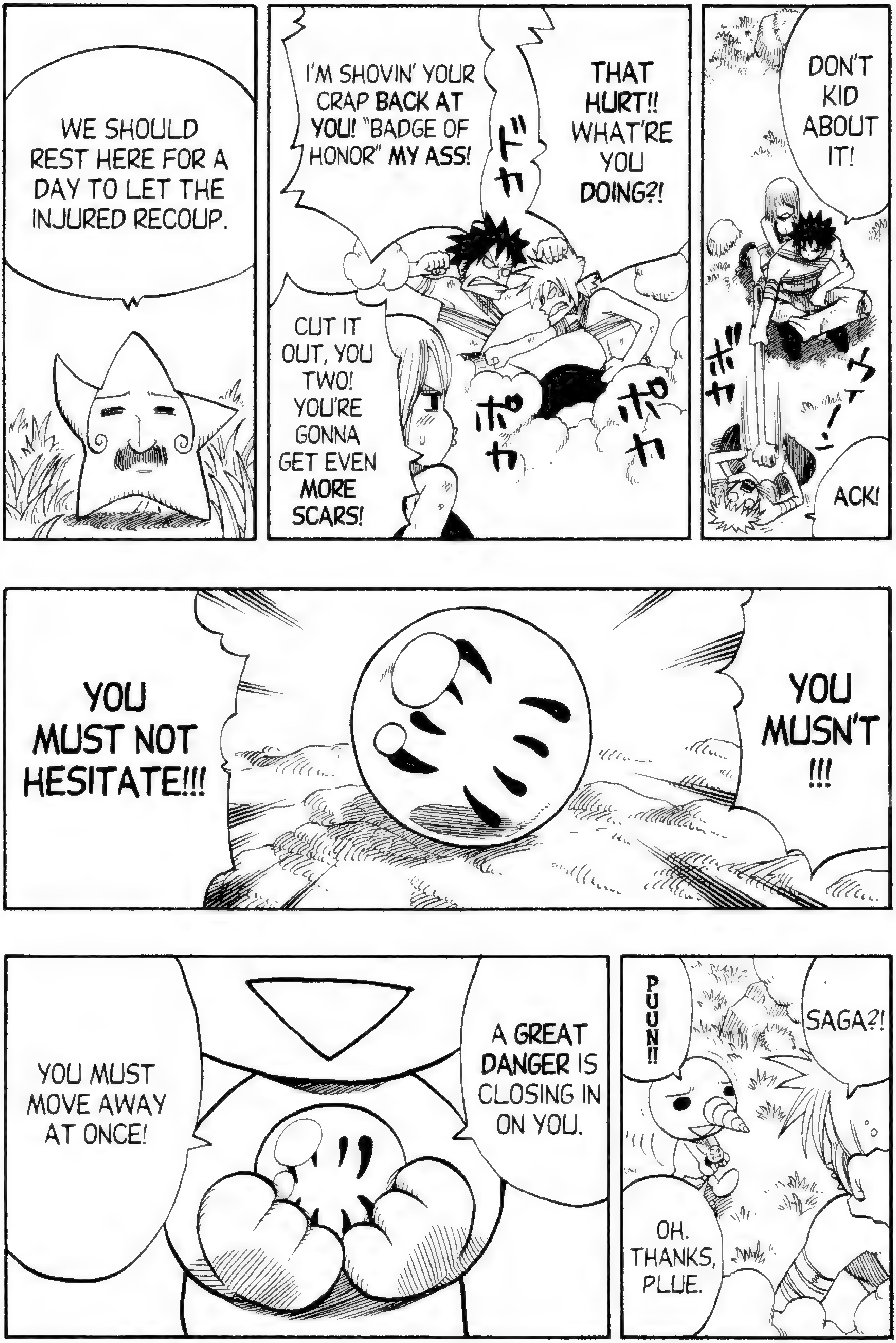
RAVE MASTER™

RAVE:152 ✠ HAPLESS HERO

OW OW OW...!
TUG
ALL DONE!
WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO BE A LOT MORE CAREFUL NOW THAT WE'RE OUT OF ALICE'S ELIXERS.
DON'T LOOK AT ME, POYO. PLUE'S THE ONE WHO DRANK THEM ALL, POYO!
PUUN!!
YOUR TURN NOW, MUSICA.
AH?
THERE.
YOU'RE LOOKING PRETTY SCARRED UP, HARU. THE DRAGONS MUST HAVE GOT YOU PRETTY BAD.
OH, THESE? NAH. THESE ARE FROM THE BATTLE WITH DORYU.
THEY STILL HAVEN'T HEALED?
I'M FINE!!
THESE ARE A WARRIOR'S BADGE OF HONOR!!


DON'T KID ABOUT IT!
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ACK!
THAT HURT!! WHAT'RE YOU DOING?!
I'M SHOVIN' YOUR CRAP BACK AT YOU! "BADGE OF HONOR" MY ASS!
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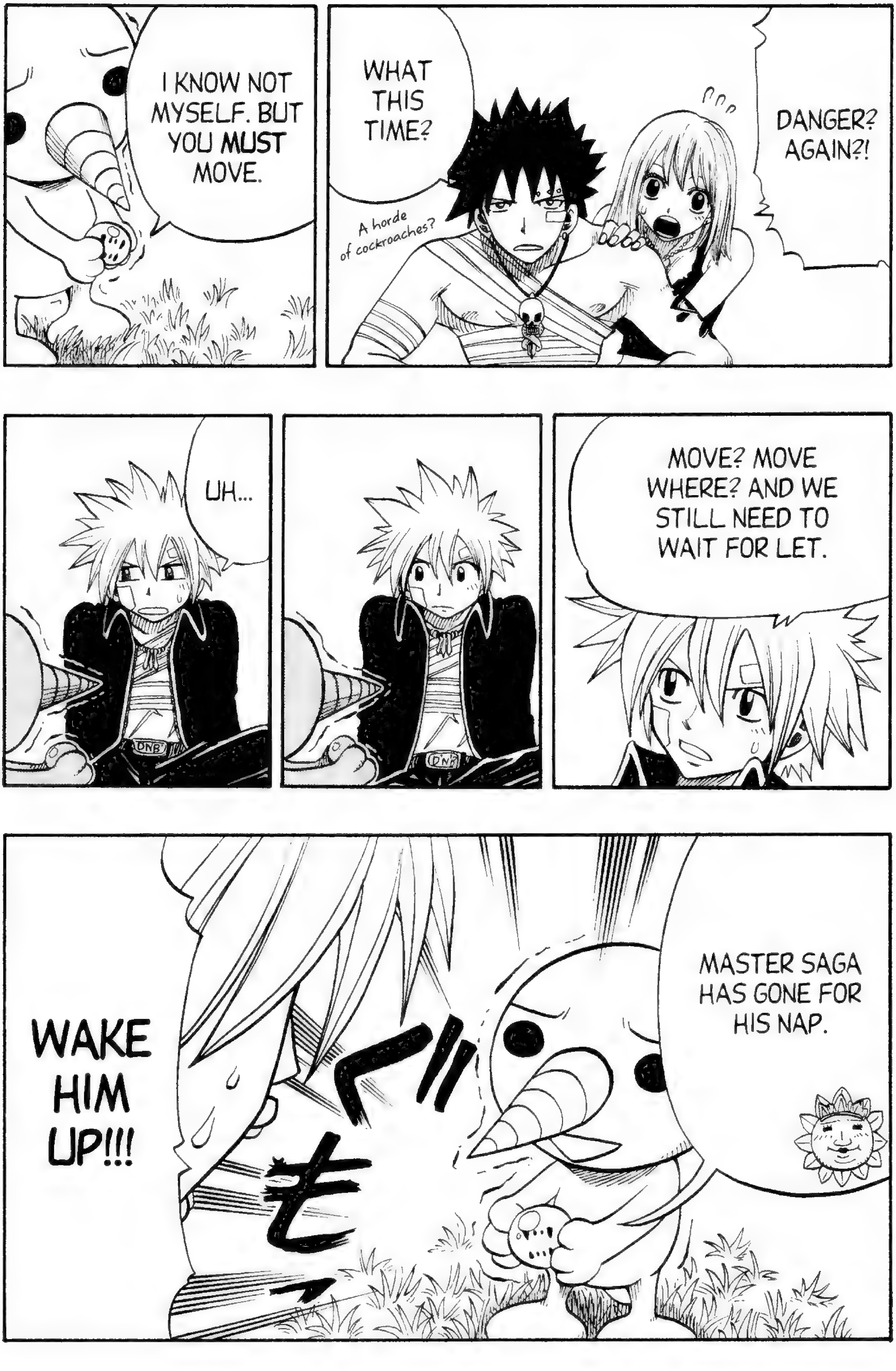
CUT IT OUT, YOU TWO! YOU'RE GONNA GET EVEN MORE SCARS!
WE SHOULD REST HERE FOR A DAY TO LET THE INJURED RECOUP.
YOU MUSN'T !!!
YOU MUST NOT HESITATE!!!
SAGA?!
PUUN!!
OH. THANKS, PLUE.
A GREAT DANGER IS CLOSING IN ON YOU.
YOU MUST MOVE AWAY AT ONCE!


I KNOW NOT MYSELF. BUT YOU MUST MOVE.
WHAT THIS TIME?
A horde of cockroaches?
DANGER? AGAIN?!
UH...
MOVE? MOVE WHERE? AND WE STILL NEED TO WAIT FOR LET.
MASTER SAGA HAS GONE FOR HIS NAP.
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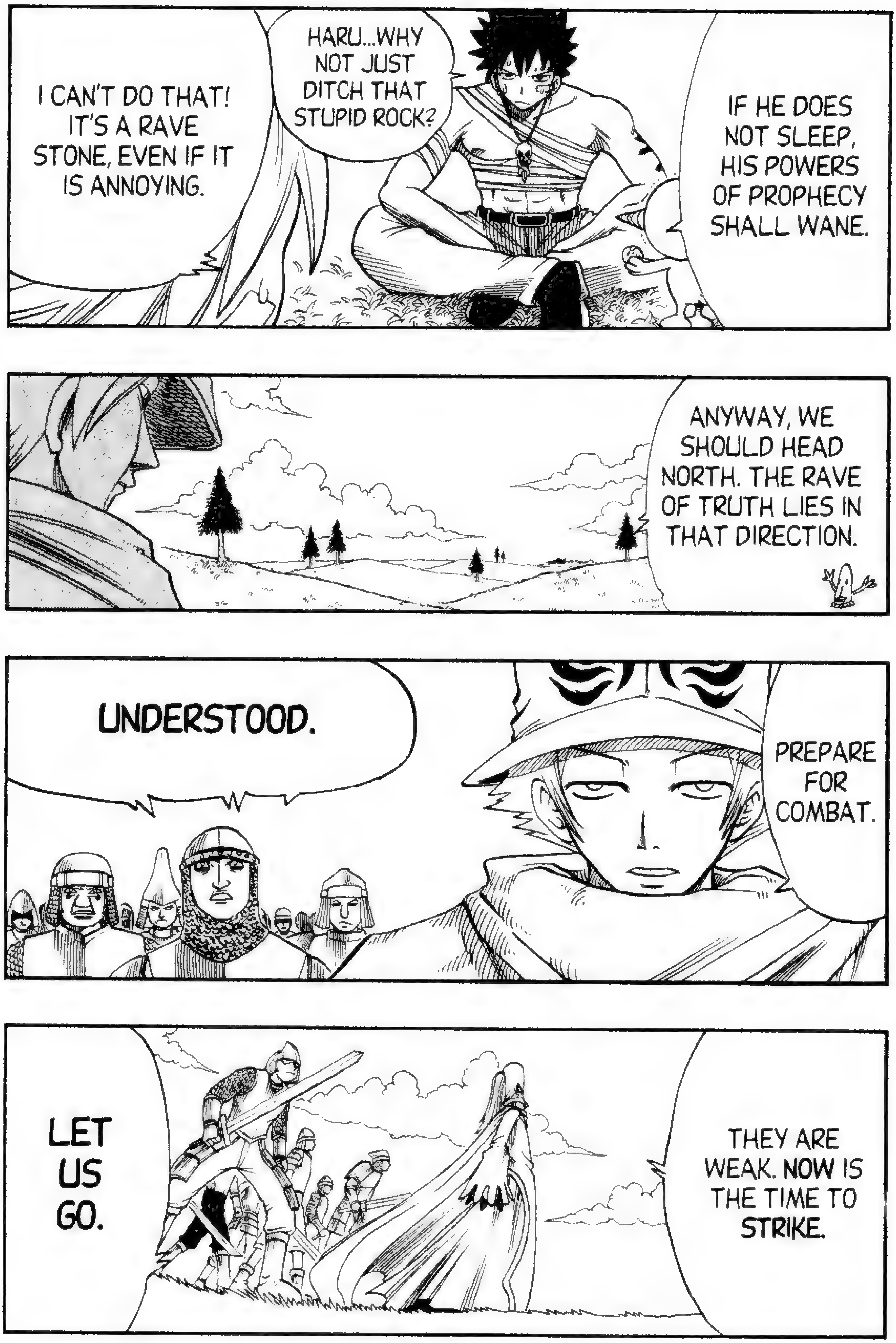
WAKE HIM UP!!!


IF HE DOES NOT SLEEP, HIS POWERS OF PROPHECY SHALL WANE.
HARU...WHY NOT JUST DITCH THAT STUPID ROCK?
I CAN'T DO THAT! IT'S A RAVE STONE, EVEN IF IT IS ANNOYING.
ANYWAY, WE SHOULD HEAD NORTH. THE RAVE OF TRUTH LIES IN THAT DIRECTION.
PREPARE FOR COMBAT.
UNDERSTOOD.
THEY ARE WEAK. NOW IS THE TIME TO STRIKE.
LET US GO.

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UWAAAH!!
WHAT IS IT?
UWAAAH!!
AAAAGH!!
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WHAT'S THIS?!
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THAT'S QUITE A HOLE.
THIS CAN ONLY MEAN ONE THING...
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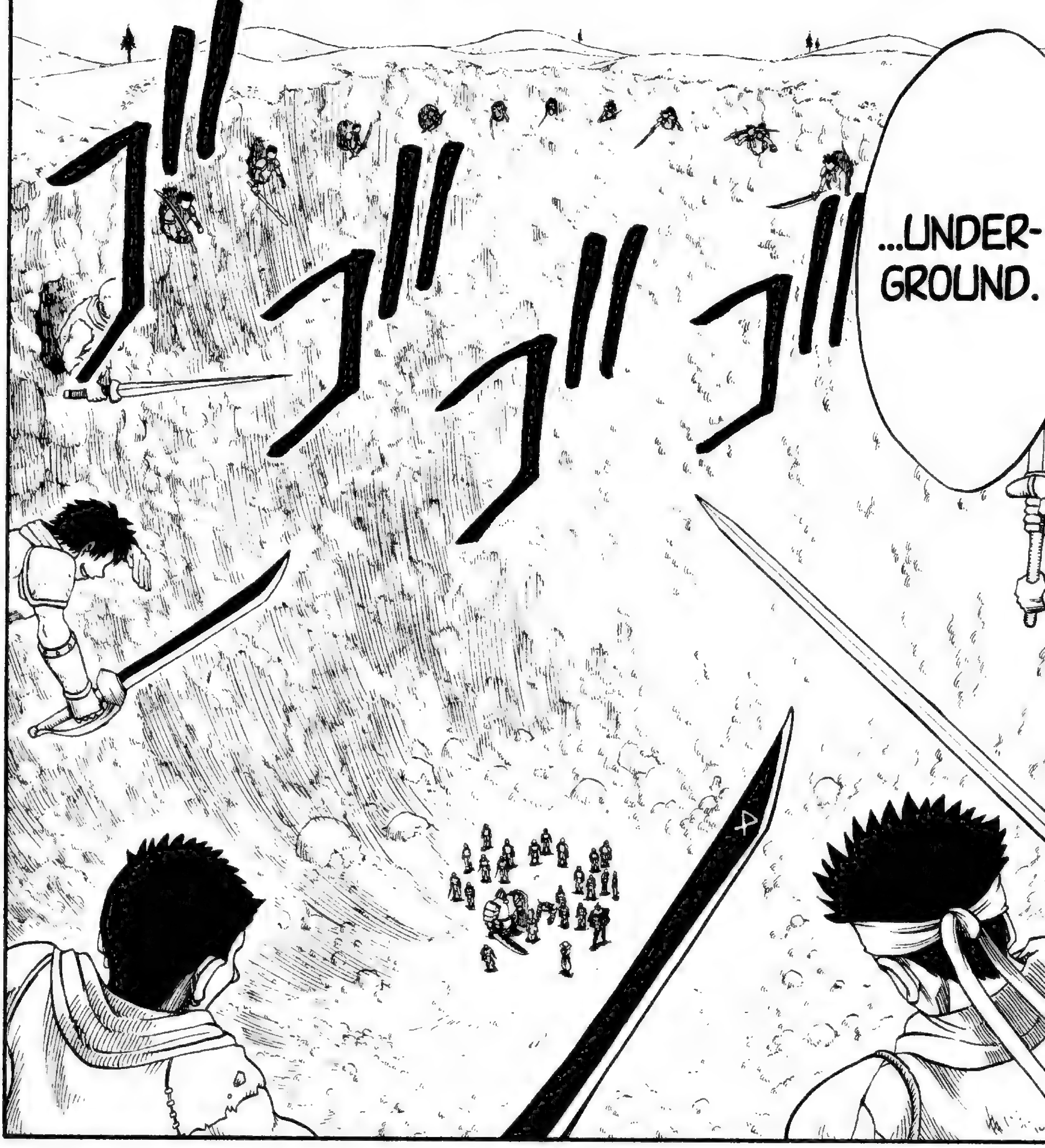
THE MERCENARY GROUP...


...UNDERGROUND.
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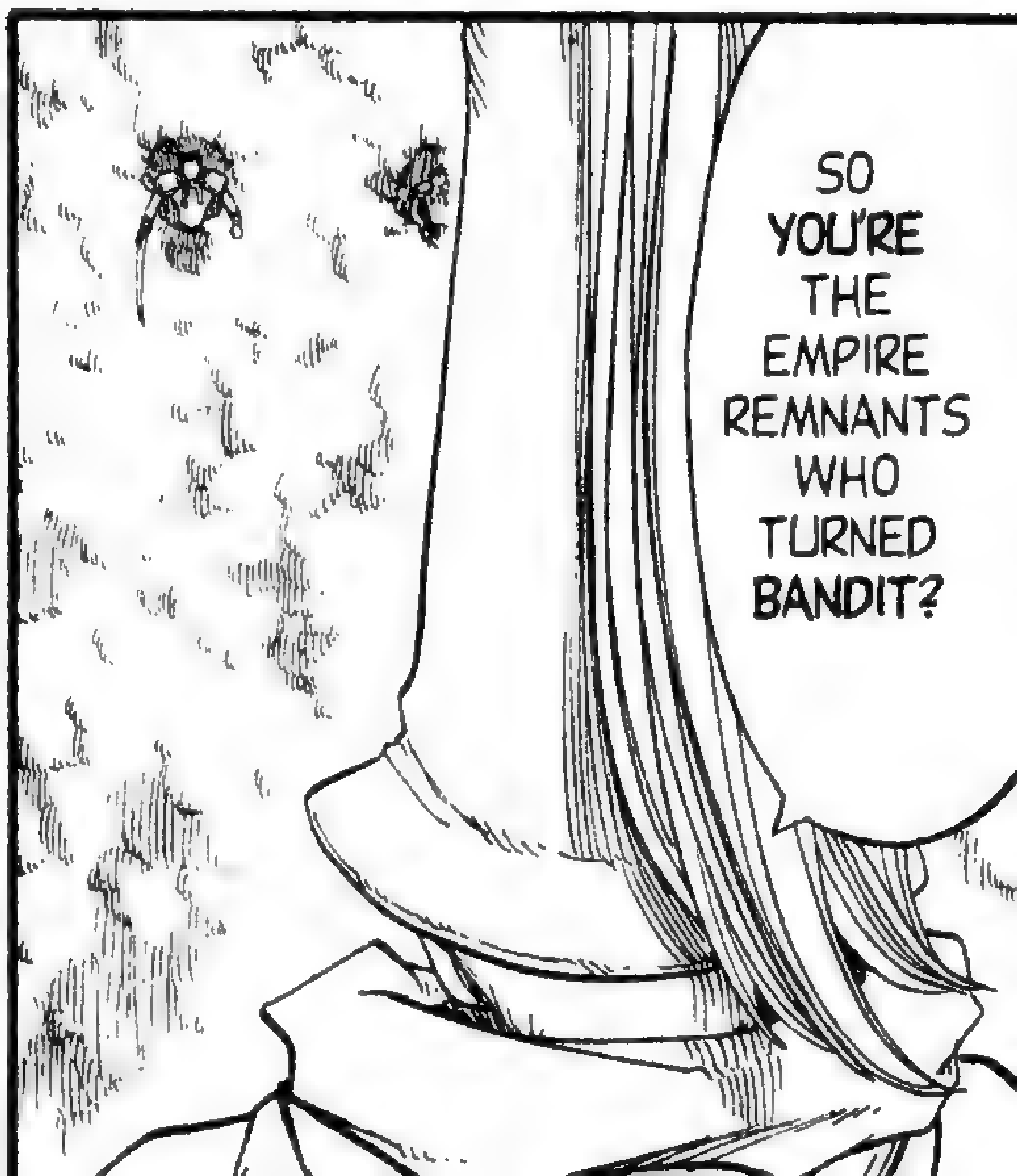
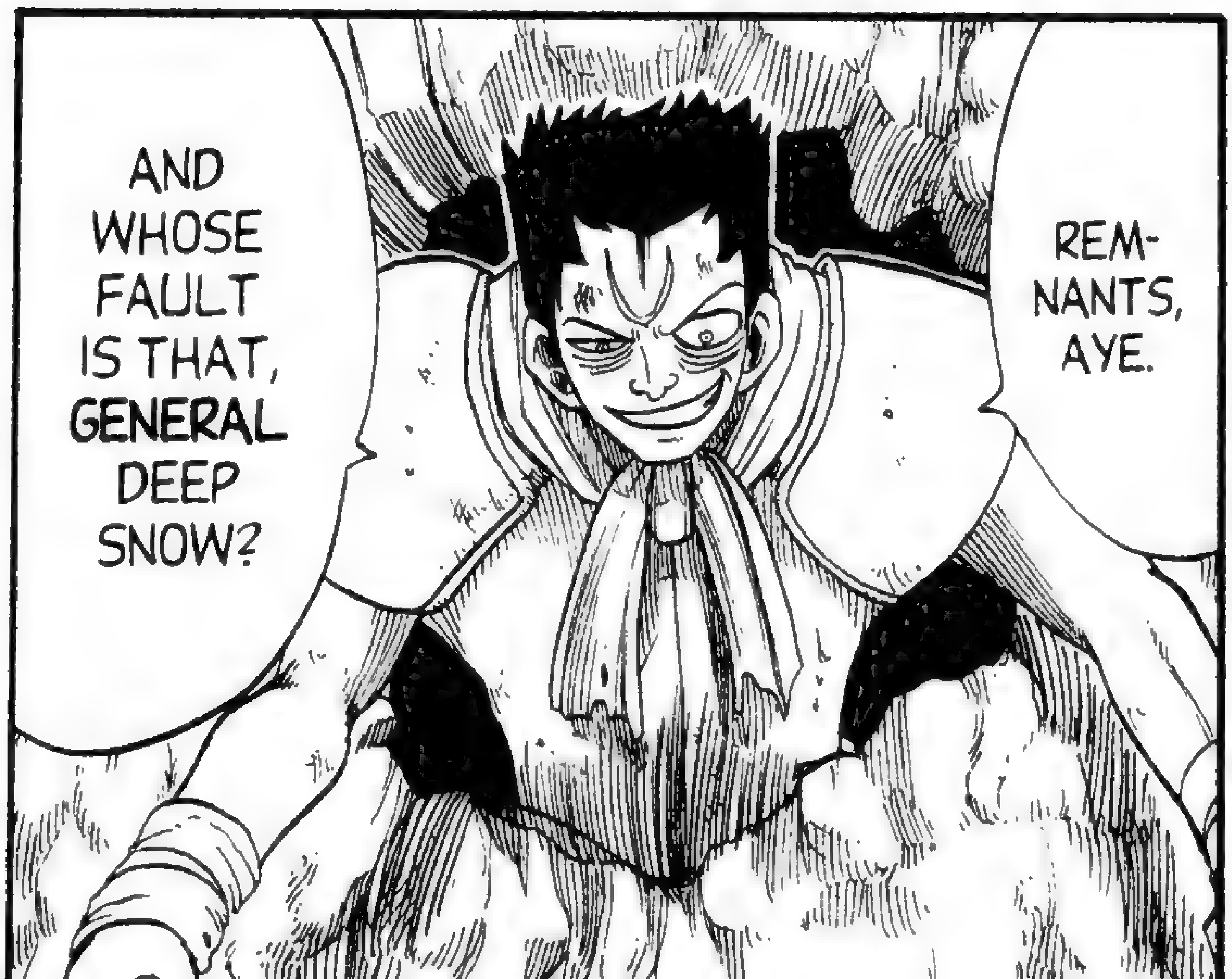
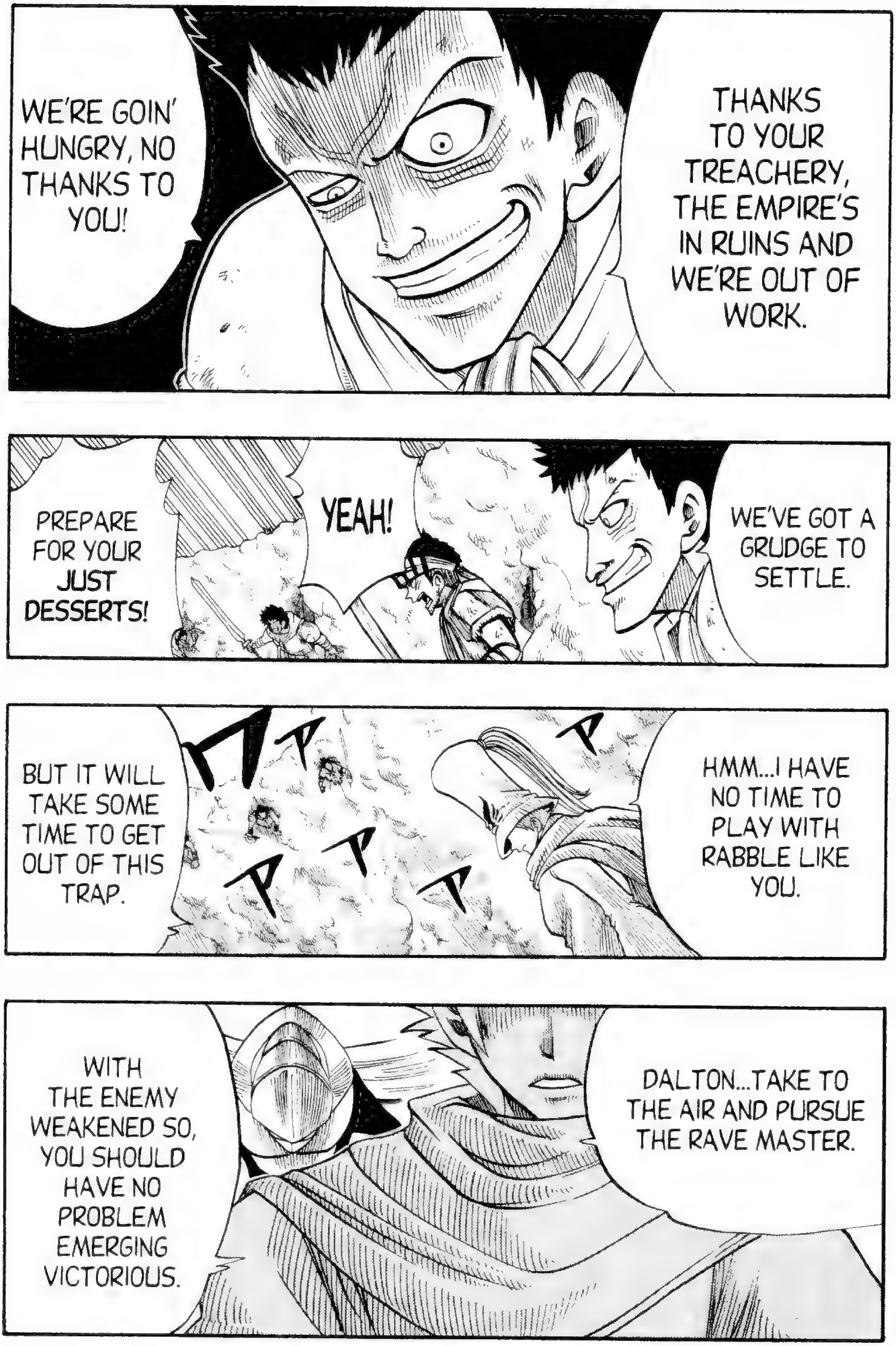

SO YOU'RE THE EMPIRE REMNANTS WHO TURNED BANDIT?


REMNANTS, AYE.
AND WHOSE FAULT IS THAT, GENERAL DEEP SNOW?


THANKS TO YOUR TREACHERY, THE EMPIRE'S IN RUINS AND WE'RE OUT OF WORK.
WE'RE GOIN' HUNGRY, NO THANKS TO YOU!
WE'VE GOT A GRUDGE TO SETTLE.
YEAH!
PREPARE FOR YOUR JUST DESSERTS!
HMM...I HAVE NO TIME TO PLAY WITH RABBLE LIKE YOU.
P P P P P P
BUT IT WILL TAKE SOME TIME TO GET OUT OF THIS TRAP.
DALTON...TAKE TO THE AIR AND PURSUE THE RAVE MASTER.
WITH THE ENEMY WEAKENED SO, YOU SHOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM EMERGING VICTORIOUS.

UNDER-STOOD.
DALTON SHALL DO AS YOU ASK, BZZ.
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DALTON?
HE SAID DALTON JUST NOW?
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NO WAY...
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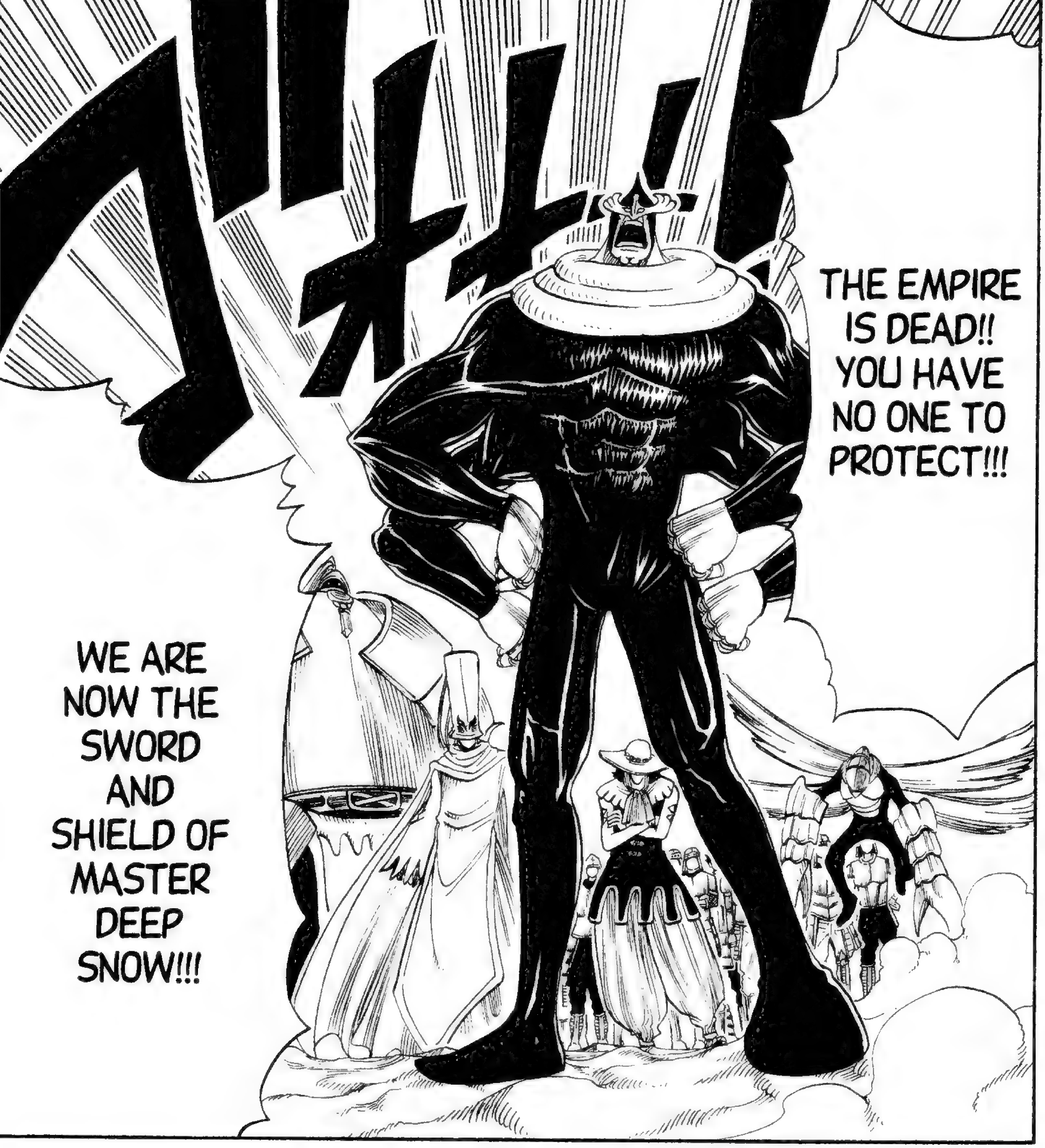
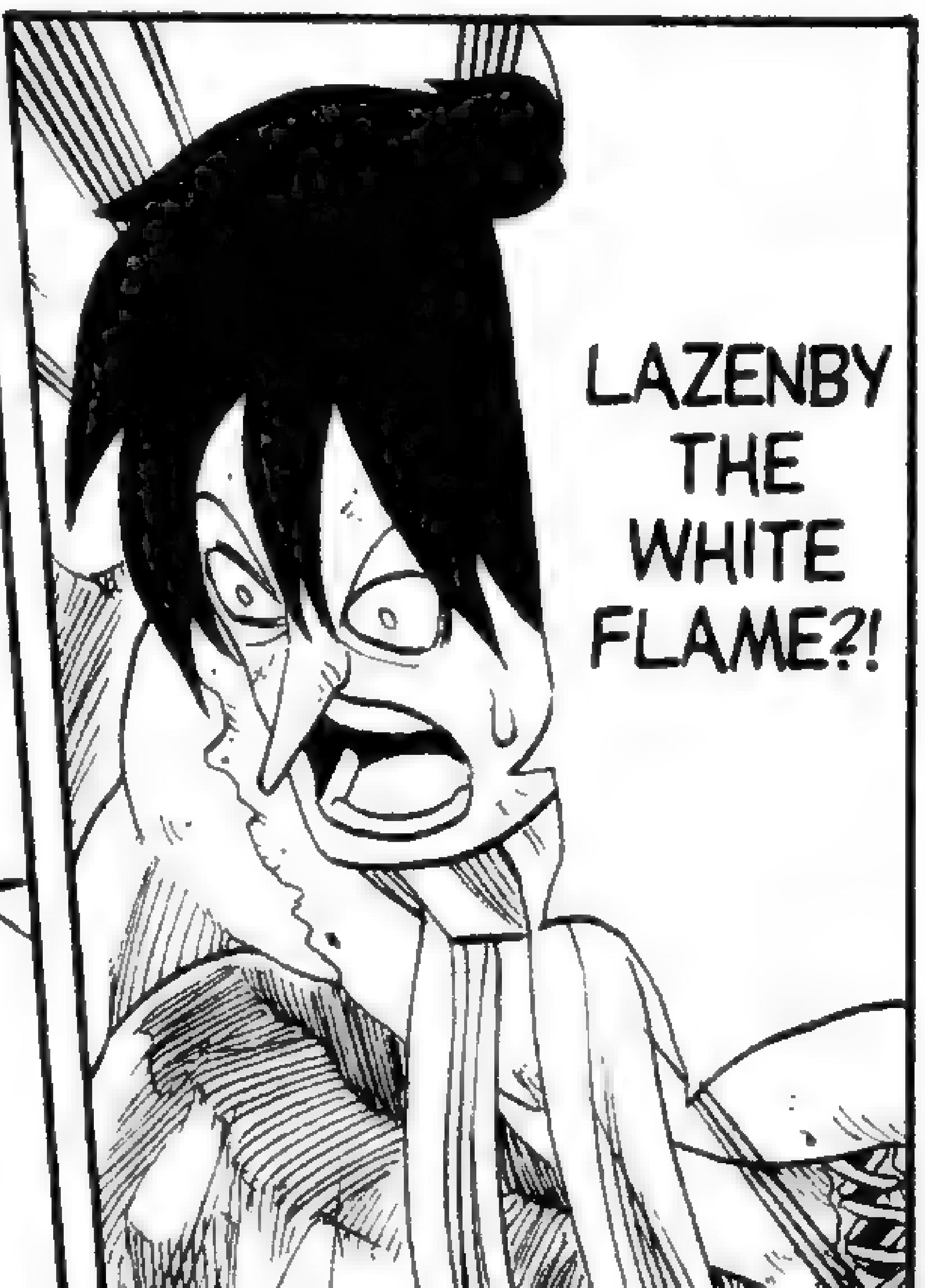
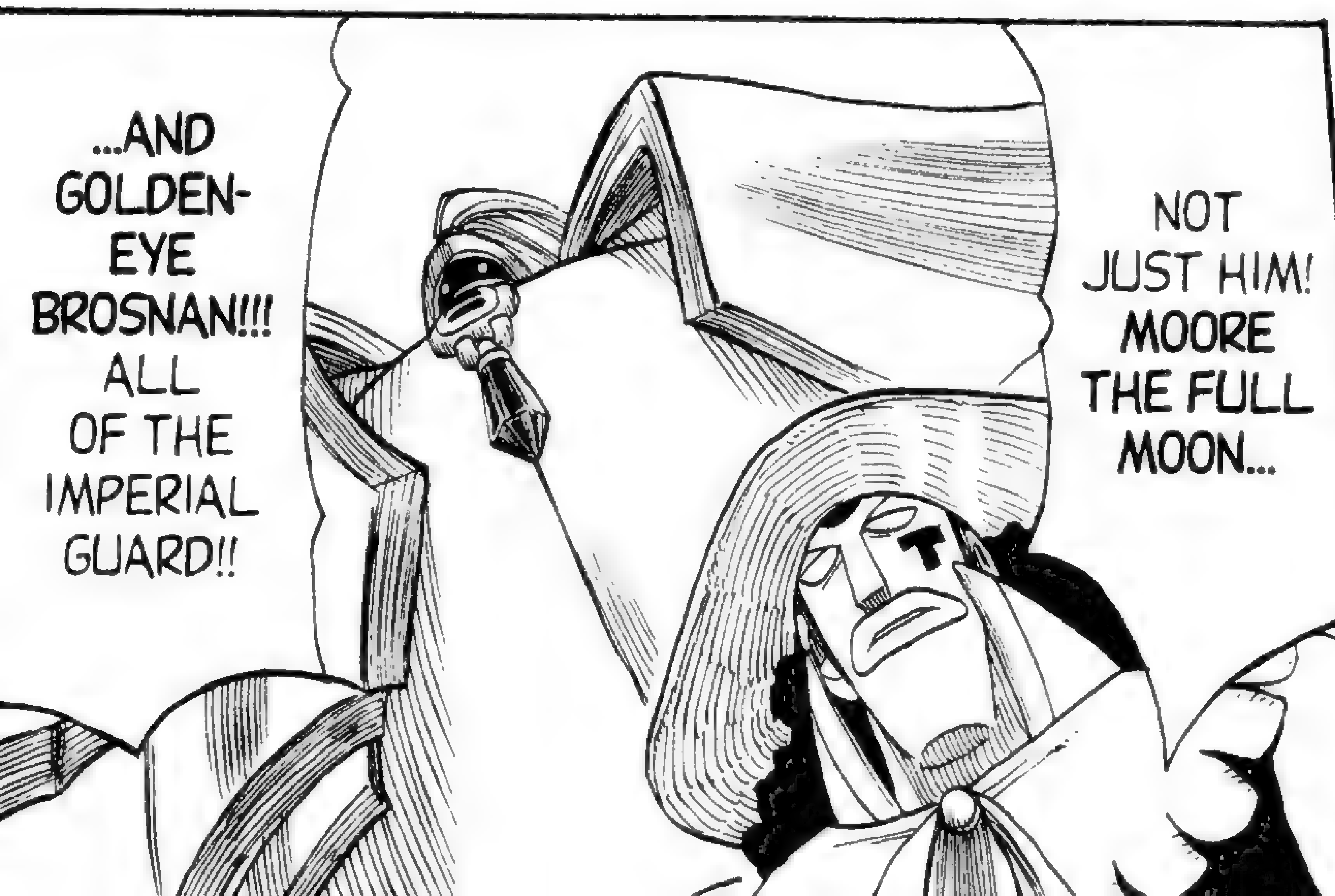
DALTON THE CHRYSALIS?!
ONCE PART OF THE IMPERIAL GUARD...HE'S NOW THE EMPEROR'S RIGHT-HAND MAN!
HE'S THE EMPIRE'S MIGHTIEST WARRIOR!!
NO WAY! HE WAS IN WITH DEEP SNOW ALL ALONG?!

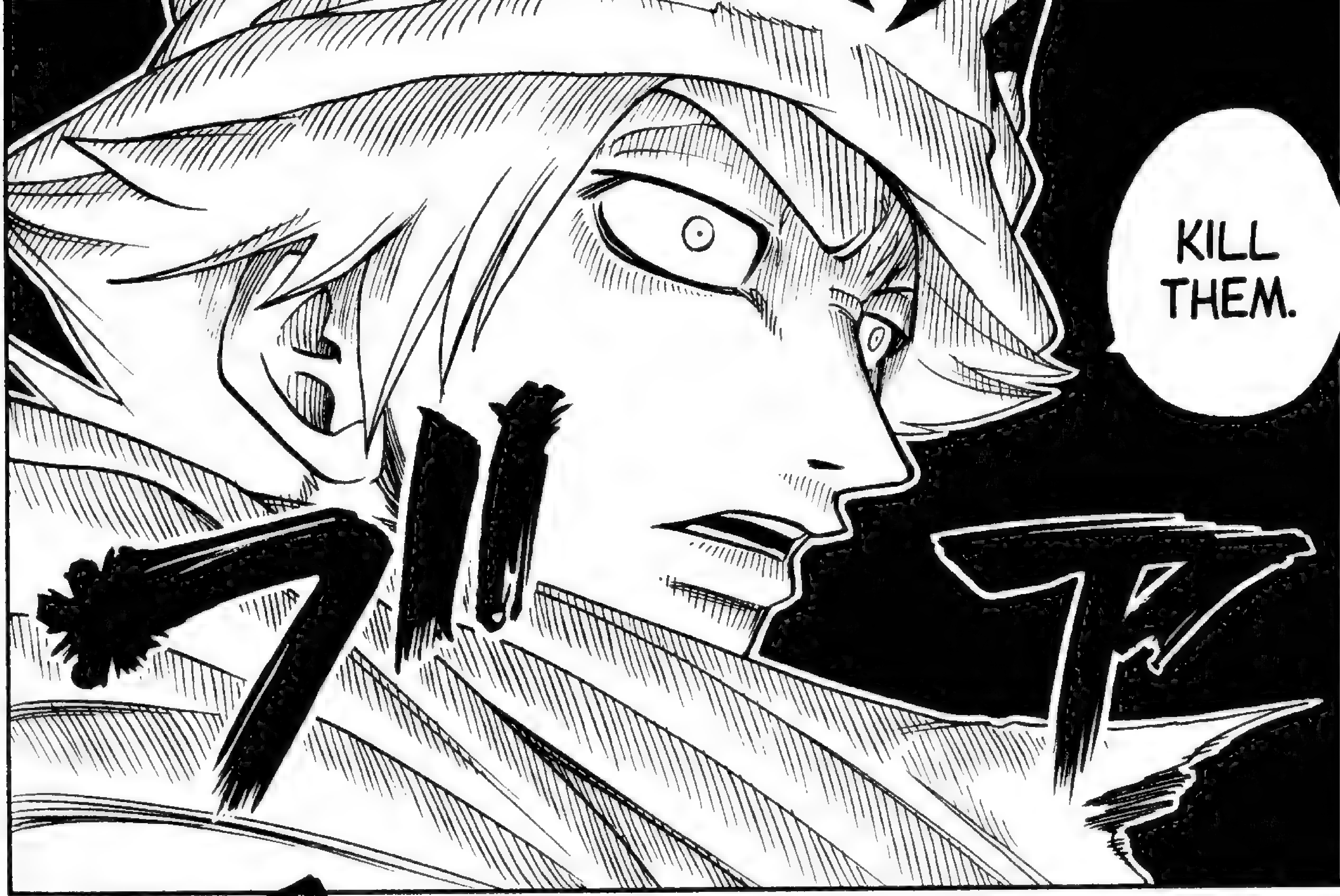

THE EMPIRE IS DEAD!! YOU HAVE NO ONE TO PROTECT!!!
WE ARE NOW THE SWORD AND SHIELD OF MASTER DEEP SNOW!!!


LAZENBY THE WHITE FLAME?!


NOT JUST HIM! MOORE THE FULL MOON...
...AND GOLDEN-EYE BROSNAN!!! ALL OF THE IMPERIAL GUARD!!

DALTON... YOU HAVE YOUR ORDERS.
YES, SIR! BZZ!
THE IMPERIAL GUARD... HERE?!
DON'T BACK DOWN NOW! THE UNDERGROUND'S STILL THE MIGHTIEST MERCENARY FORCE AROUND!
AND IN THIS TERRAIN, THE ADVANTAGE IS OURS!
LET'S SHOW THESE TREACHEROUS SECOND-STRINGERS THE POWER OF FRONT-LINE FORCES!!!
LET'S GET 'EM!!!

HOW ANNOYING.
CERTAINLY THE NUMBERS AND TERRAIN ARE AGAINST US, SIR.
NO...LOSING THE RAVE MASTER'S TRAIL IS MY RESPONSIBILITY.
I FELL INTO A PIT OF OVER-CONFIDENCE.
WHAT DO WE DO, SIR?


KILL THEM.
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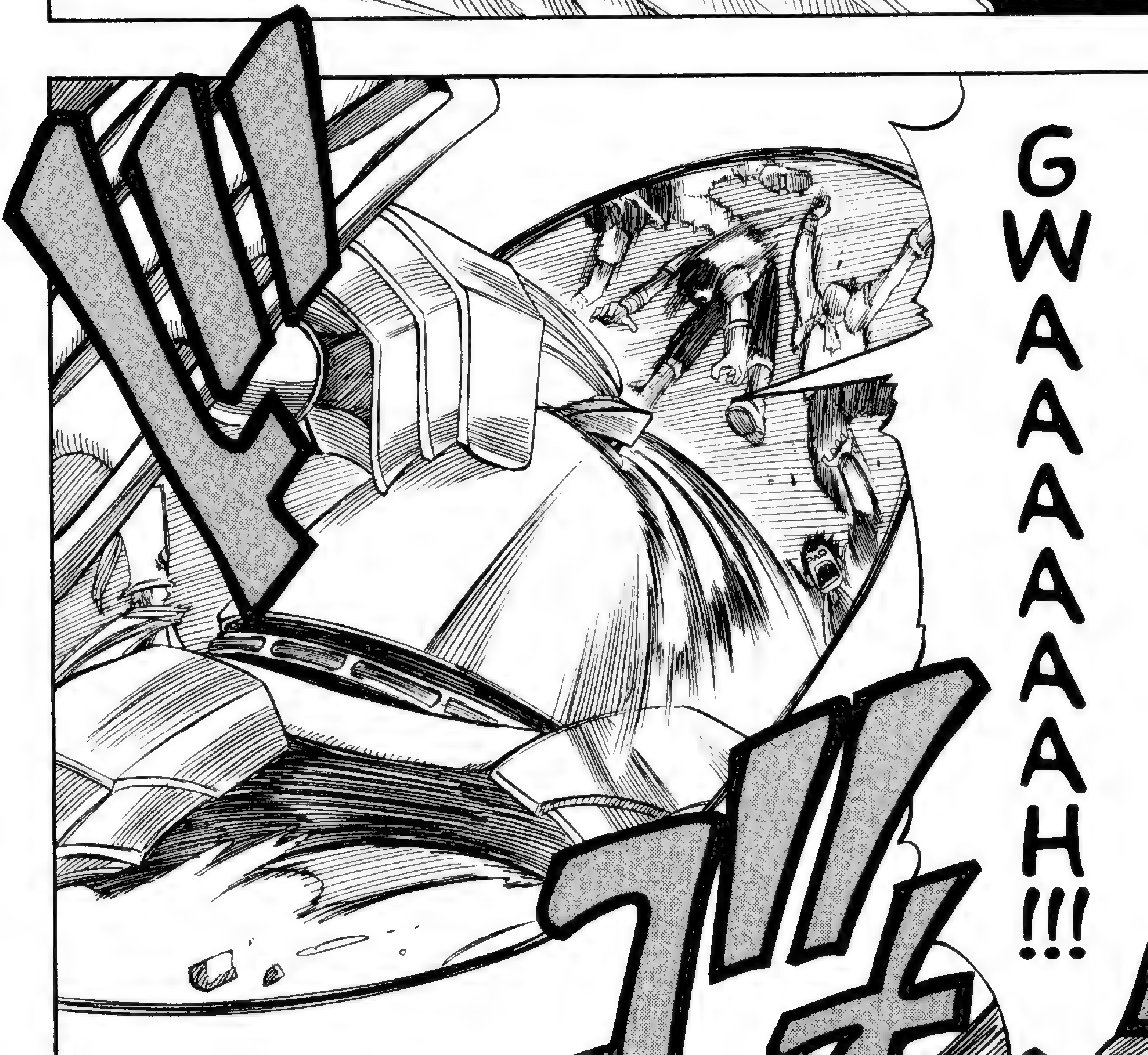
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SHAAAA...
HAAAAA...
BOOOOOOOM
ULTRA WHITE SUPER FIRE CANNON MK.II!!!!
WHITE FLAME?! IT'S STICKING TO ME!!
IT'S HEAVY! IT WON'T COME OFF!!
WE STILL OUTNUMBER THEM! DON'T BACK DOWN! CHARGE!!

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UNDERGROUND... YOU'RE LIKE WOUNDED ANIMALS.
YOU TURN ON US...BUT DON'T UNDERSTAND OUR POWER. YOU SEE...BUT YET DON'T THINK.
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ブチ
UGH... OOGH... AGH...!!
I-IMPERIAL GUARD... D-DEEP S-SNOW... T-TOO...S-STRONG...
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YOU VERMIN BROUGHT THIS UPON YOURSELVES. IF YOU HADN'T DELAYED ME, YOU COULD HAVE JUST WALKED AWAY...
OH NO, POYO! SINCE WE MOVED, HOW WILL LET FIND US, POYO?
I'M SURE HE'LL MEET UP WITH US SOMETIME.
SOMETIME, HUH?
HYAH!!
EISENMTEOR

HYAH!!
PUUN!!
ブゥ…ン
OOF! IT'S SO HEAVY...! I'M SURPRISED YOU CAN EVEN LIFT THIS THING, HARU!
I'M USED TO IT NOW.
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HUH?
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EEEEEEEK!!!
ギュウウウッ
ELIE!! PLUE!!
WH-WHAT'S THIS?!
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CRAP!! IT'S GOT ME, TOO!!
MASTER MUSICA!!
GULP!!
POYO!!
GUYS!! WHAT IS THIS STUFF?!
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A COCOON.
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WHO THE HECK ARE YOU?!

ANOTHER DEMON CARD THUG, I BET...
REACH
!!
AW, SNAP...
THIS ISN'T GOOD. **ELIE** HAS MY **SWORD!**
Mnnnn!
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DON'T WORRY. I'LL KEEP HER COZY FOR YOU.
NO FRIENDS, NO RAVE, NO SWORD...
HOW WILL YOU **FIGHT,** RAVE MASTER?
HISSS ...

RAVE MASTER™
LOVE2002 (Curry Version) Song Writing/Composition: Elie (Well, she thought it up)
How long will my onion lover tease me? Carrot poo... My affair with Mr. Potato... Big trouble in Curry Village!! Doo doo bi du... Doo doo bi du...
When know-nothing Mr. Apple... Plays his guitar song... Everyone dances and makes up... La la la la la... La la la la la la la...
Tasty curry! Wish me luck!!
I'm starvin'!
Poyo!
Hurry!
Hold on...it'll be ready soon...
Ah! Elie!!-Are you sure that's a pork cutlet?
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RAVE:153 ✚ FIST OF JUSTICE

NO FRIENDS, NO RAVE, NO SWORD...
HOW WILL YOU FIGHT, RAVE MASTER?
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YOU BASTARD!!
LET THEM GO!!
WHOOSH!!
HUH?

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HE CAN FLY?!
THAT CREEP LOOKS LIKE A GIANT BUG!
ADDRESS ME AS DALTON, BZZ BZZ.
FORMERLY OF THE IMPERIAL GUARD-- NOW PART OF DC'S DEEP SNOW CORPS, BZZ.
DC, HUH?
SHOW ME HOW THE RAVE MASTER FIGHTS IN THIS SITUATION.
SHUT UP AND COME DOWN HERE!!
AH...I FORGOT TO MENTION. YOUR FRIENDS CAN'T BREATHE IN THEIR COCOONS, BZZ.
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THEY WHAT?!
NNNH!!
NNNG!!
MMPH!
ELIE!!
GUYS!!
BENEATH THAT SHELL, THEY SLOWLY SUFFOCATE IN THE DARK... ALONE. AND YOU ARE POWERLESS TO HELP THEM.
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DON'T WORRY. YOU'LL BE JOINING THEM SOON ENOUGH, BZZ BZZ.
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DAMN... *NNGH*... COCOON! BREAK!!
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AGH!!

MY WEBBING...
...IS STRONG AS STEEL-- AND AS FAST AS A BULLET.
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WAAH!!
ROLL
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OW...! THAT HURT, YOU JERK!
GRAB
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RIGHT BACK AT 'CHA!!!
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PITIFUL RESISTANCE...
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DO YOU REALLY THINK A MERE ROCK WILL DEFEAT ME?

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UGH!!
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ギュルッ
OH MAN...
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ズズズ...
I-IF ONLY I HAD THE TEN POWERS... THEN I COULD SQUASH THIS BUG!
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ELIE! CAN YOU HEAR ME?! TRY AND USE THE SWORD TO CUT YOUR WAY OUT!!
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IMPOSSIBLE! MY WEB CANNOT BE BROKEN...
UGHHH...
...AND MY COCOONS ARE HARD AS STEEL!
GAGH!!
MUSICA! USE YOUR SILVER!
RUBY!! CAN'T YOU USE MAGIC?!
YOU SHOULD'VE TRIED THAT A BIT SOONER, BZZ. THEY'RE UNDOUBTEDLY UNCONSCIOUS BY NOW.
GLARE

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YOU CAN'T FIGHT WITHOUT THE RAVE AND THE SWORD, BZZ.
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ACK!!
ドドド
YOU CAN'T FIGHT WITHOUT YOUR FRIENDS, BZZ.
IN THE END, YOU CAN'T DO **ANYTHING** BY **YOURSELF.**
Huff
Huff
Huff
YANK
IF I CAN'T COME UP THERE...
...I'LL PULL YOU DOWN TO ME!!

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A NOBLE EFFORT, BZZ, BUT...
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I HEARD THE RAVE MASTER DEFEATED DC UNIT AFTER UNIT...
...BUT YOU'RE POWERLESS WITHOUT YOUR FRIENDS, BZZ.
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IT'S LIKE I TOLD YOU, BZZ. YOU CAN'T BREAK IT.
UNBREAKABLE WEB AND STEEL-HARD COCOONS, HUH?
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SO HE MAKES THESE IN HIS MOUTH...? AND I'M TOUCHING IT...? GROSS!!

TO THINK THAT POOR ELIE IS COVERED IN GOOP FROM THAT BUG CREEP'S MOUTH... IT GIVES ME CHILLS JUST THINKING ABOUT IT!
HEH HEH HEH!
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NOOOO!!
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WHAT ARE YOU MUMBLING ABOUT, BZZ?
NO MATTER... I'LL PIN YOU IN PLACE AGAIN!
CLENCH
ONLY THIS TIME, I'LL KILL YOU, BZZ BZZ!
DEATH BY BUG SPIT? RAINCHECK.
GET DOWN HERE, YOU BUG-BRAINED FREAK!

WHAT'S THIS, BZZ? STILL THROWING ROCKS?!
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ARE WE LIVING IN THE **STONE AGE**, BZZ?!
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HUH?
しゅるるる
WHAT'S THIS?
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YOU MADE A **FLAIL** OUT OF MY **THREAD** AND **COCOON**?!
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HEH...YOU SAID IT WAS TOUGH STUFF.

Flail= This thing.

NOW TO BRING YOU DOWN TO EARTH!!
WHAAT?!
NOOOOO!!
OH, BZZIT!!

YOU AIN'T GETTING AWAY THIS TIME!
HEH HEH... FOOL! MY SHELL IS HARD AS STEEL, BZZ!!
BARE-HANDED ATTACKS WON'T WORK!!

EH?
YEAH, THAT DID KINDA HURT.
EHH?!!
HE DENTED MY SHELL?!
WHEN I CAME ACROSS RAVE THE FIRST TIME...
...THE VERY FIRST DEMON CARD THUG I FOUGHT HAD A DB THAT TURNED HIS BODY TO STEEL. I COULDN'T EVEN MAKE A SCRATCH IN HIS HIDE.

SO I'M WONDERING... HOW MUCH STRONGER HAVE I GOTTEN SINCE THEN?
LET'S FIND OUT, SHALL WE?
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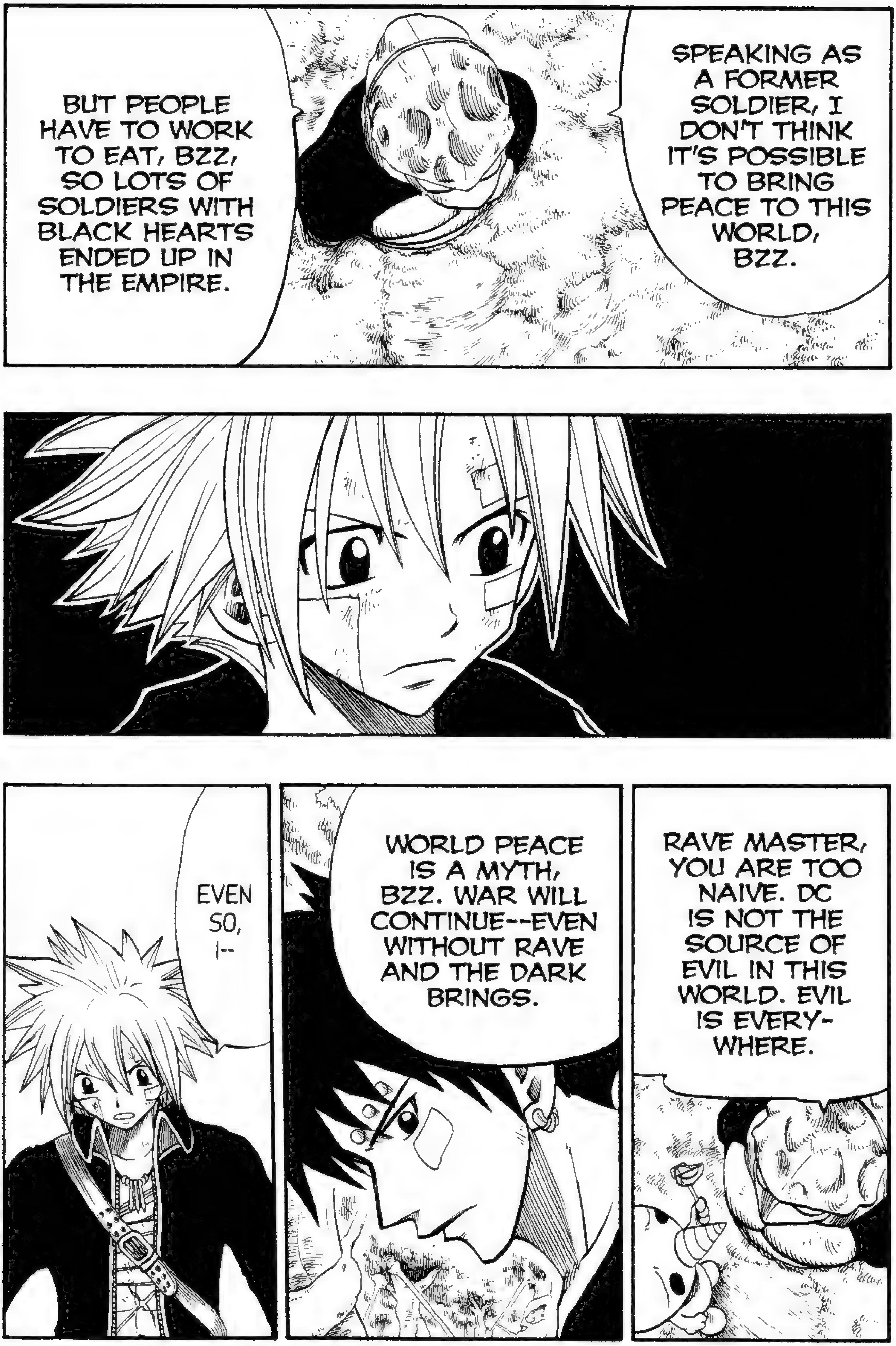
AH!
PUUN!!

YOU SAVED US, MR. HARU!
THANKS!
WE CAN ALWAYS COUNT ON YOU, POYO!
HA HA HA! IT WAS NOTHING!
DON'T LET IT GET TO YOUR HEAD.
I'M CONCERNED, HOWEVER.
PUUN?
THE IMPERIAL GUARD WAS THE EMPIRE'S MOST ELITE UNIT.
WHY ARE THEY WORKING WITH THE LIKES OF DC?
THE EMPIRE IS NO MORE. HALF THE SOLDIERS DEFECTED TO DC.
BUT WHY?!
THE EMPIRE WAS PROTECTING US FROM VILLAINS LIKE DEMON CARD!


SPEAKING AS A FORMER SOLDIER, I DON'T THINK IT'S POSSIBLE TO BRING PEACE TO THIS WORLD, BZZ.
BUT PEOPLE HAVE TO WORK TO EAT, BZZ, SO LOTS OF SOLDIERS WITH BLACK HEARTS ENDED UP IN THE EMPIRE.
RAVE MASTER, YOU ARE TOO NAIVE. DC IS NOT THE SOURCE OF EVIL IN THIS WORLD. EVIL IS EVERYWHERE.
WORLD PEACE IS A MYTH, BZZ. WAR WILL CONTINUE--EVEN WITHOUT RAVE AND THE DARK BRINGS.
EVEN SO, I--

NO!!!
SHUBAHHHH
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THE WHITE FLAME HERO, LAZENBY...
BOM
...HAS ARRIVED!!!
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WHAT A UGLY MUG!!
AN ENEMY?

OH HO!!
ENEMY? I THINK NOT!
I SENSED A CITIZEN IN DISTRESS AND CAME AS FAST AS I COULD!
D-DALTON?! WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO YOU, OLD FRIEND?
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I, LAZENBY, SHALL VANQUISH THESE EVILDOERS AND AVENGE YOU!
UH... EVIL-DOERS?
ZIP!
SHAME ON YOU, USING THE RAVE STONES FOR EVIL AND BRINGING CHAOS TO THE WORLD! FEEL MY FLAMES OF JUSTICE, RAVE MASTER!!
RAVE MASTER... YOU ARE NAIVE. BUT NOT HALF AS MUCH AS HIM.
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IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY NOTICED, BZZ, DC'S FED HIM SOME... MISINFORMATON.
SOMEHOW, THIS FIGHT FEELS KINDA... WELL, PATHETIC.
LET ME PUT HIM OUT OF HIS MISERY...
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SHAAAAAA!!

SMASH
DYNAMITE CHAMPION PUNCH!!!
WHA--?!
DAMN, HE'S STRONG ...
THIS WON'T BE AS EASY AS I THOUGHT.
I FORGOT TO MENTION, BZZ--THE OTHER THREE ARE **FAR STRONGER** THAN I!
BOO-YAH!!

RAVE MASTER™
HEARTKREUZ
HEART KREUZ

RAVE:154 ✚ GUIDING FLAME

BOOOAAAHHH..
SHAAAAAAA!!
AAAAAAAAH!!
UGLY THERE REALLY PACKS A PUNCH.
GOTTA RESPECT BRUTE FORCE.
LOOKS LIKE WE'VE GOTTA TAKE THIS FIGHT SERIOUSLY.
LET'S GO!!

ULTRA-WHITE SUPER-FIRE CANNON MODEL ZERO!!!
WHITE FLAME?!
HARU!! MUSICA!!
PUUN!!
IT'S OKAY!! WE'VE GOT RUNE SAVE!
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WHAT THE--?!
バタン!
OUCH!!
HEH HEH ...
WHY YOU--!!
I'LL HANDLE THIS.
SILVER WIND CIRCLE!!!
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WOW, POYO!!! HE SCATTERED THE FLAMES WITH WIND, POYO!!!
DON'T YOU HAVE A MAGIC WIND SWORD ?!
HUH?
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NO WAY!! HOW CAN MY SILVER BURN?!
WHAT THE--?! IT'S STICKIN' TO THE GROUND!
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I CALL IT BOND... FIRE BOND.
IT'S A TECHNIQUE FOR BINDING AND BURNING EVILDOERS!

TCH!
PLOP
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SILVER CLAIMING. SURPRISED?
SILVER CLAIMING?
I SEE...SO YOU ARE THE NOTORIOUS MASTER THIEF MUSICA.
I SHALL END YOUR EVIL WAYS, VILLAIN!!
UGH!!
THIS GUY...HE'S SOME KIND OF A SUPERMAN!

SYLPHARION!!
SHAAAAAAA!!
SUPRA SMASHING GUN HANDLET PUNCH!!!
Wiggle
GWAH!!
OH NO...! HARU AND MUSICA ARE LOSING BECAUSE THEY'RE STILL INJURED!
HANG IN THERE, POYO!!
LOOKS LIKE I'VE GOT NO CHOICE BUT TO--

EEEEEEEK!!
POYO!!
WHOA ...
THAT GUY'S HUGE!!
IDIOT!! GET DOWN!!
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CATCH
WHO ARE THESE GUYS?!
TCH...
WE'RE SURROUNDED.
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GREETINGS. I'M **DEEP SNOW** OF THE **ORACION SIX**. PLEASED TO MEET YOU.
THOSE SURROUNDING YOU ARE MY **IMPERIAL GUARDS**.

DID...DID HE SAY ORACION SIX?!
THAT DOESN'T SEEM SO ODD RIGHT ABOUT NOW.
NO... IT IS ODD. SIEG HART SAID THERE WERE JUST THE SIX OF THEM.
YEAH... BUT THE NUMBERS DON'T ADD UP.
HUH?
WE FOUGHT FIVE AT SYMPHONIA... HAJA...BERIAL...IULIUS... JEGAN...REINA...
OH YEAH!! SHUDA!!
HE WAS THE SIXTH MEMBER!!
I HAVE REPLACED SHUDA.
AS YOU CAN ATTEST, SHUDA WAS A WEAKLING.

THAT'S NOT TRUE! SHUDA WAS A GREAT WARRIOR!
PERHAPS BY YOUR STANDARDS. TO ME, HE IS NOTHING BUT DIRT.
LOOKS LIKE WE'RE IN HOT WATER--AGAIN. SO...WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
I THINK THESE GUYS ARE WORSE THAN THE DRAGONS!
NOW, THEN... WE DID NOT COME HERE FOR WARM GREETINGS.
WE HAVE COME...TO TAKE THE SINCLAIRE YOU POSSESS.

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THERE'S FIVE OF THEM--AND ONE'S WITH THE ORACION SIX. ONLY HARU AND I CAN HANDLE GUYS LIKE THESE.
BUT IN THIS SHAPE? MAYBE IF WE WEREN'T INJURED...BUT NOW...?
THIS COULD BE BAD.
EVERYONE... **JOIN HANDS.**
HUH?
WHAT, NOW?! AT A TIME LIKE THIS?!
ON MY SIGNAL...
...EVERYONE CLOSE YOUR EYES.
ARE YOU NUTS?! WHAT KIND OF IDIOT CLOSES HIS EYES WHEN HE'S SURROUNDED BY THE ENEMY?!
JUST DO IT.

SHINE FORTH...
...MILLION SUNS!!!
UNH...! CURSES!
I CAN'T SEE!
NOW!!
RUN!!
IT SUCKS, BUT...
...WE HAVE TO RETREAT!!
HUH?!

RIGHT NOW...
...I'M CHOOSING **LIVING** OVER **FIGHTING** !!
DON'T JUST **STAND** THERE!! FOLLOW THE **SOUND** OF THEIR **FOOT-STEPS!!**
DAMN...! IT GOES AGAINST MY NATURE...BUT I GUESS WE HAVE NO CHOICE!
HURRY UP, GUYS! YOU'RE TOO SLOW!
ELIE'S... *HUFF*... A FAST RUNNER, POYO!

SOMEONE'S ALREADY CATCHING UP TO US!
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NOT HIM...
ARGH...! ALL THAT RUNNING OPENED UP MY WOUNDS!
!
THERE'S SOMEONE UP AHEAD!
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WE'VE BEEN CUT OFF!
NO WAY! ANOTHER ENEMY?!
THERE'S JUST ONE...! KEEP MOVING!

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WAIT...
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...HARU.
!
THERE'S SOMEONE WAITING FOR YOU IN THE CAVE AHEAD.
HALT, VILLAIN! YOU ALLY YOURSELF WITH THE ARCH-FIEND MASTER?!
THEN I SHALL OFFER YOU NO MERCY! FEEL MY FLAMES OF--
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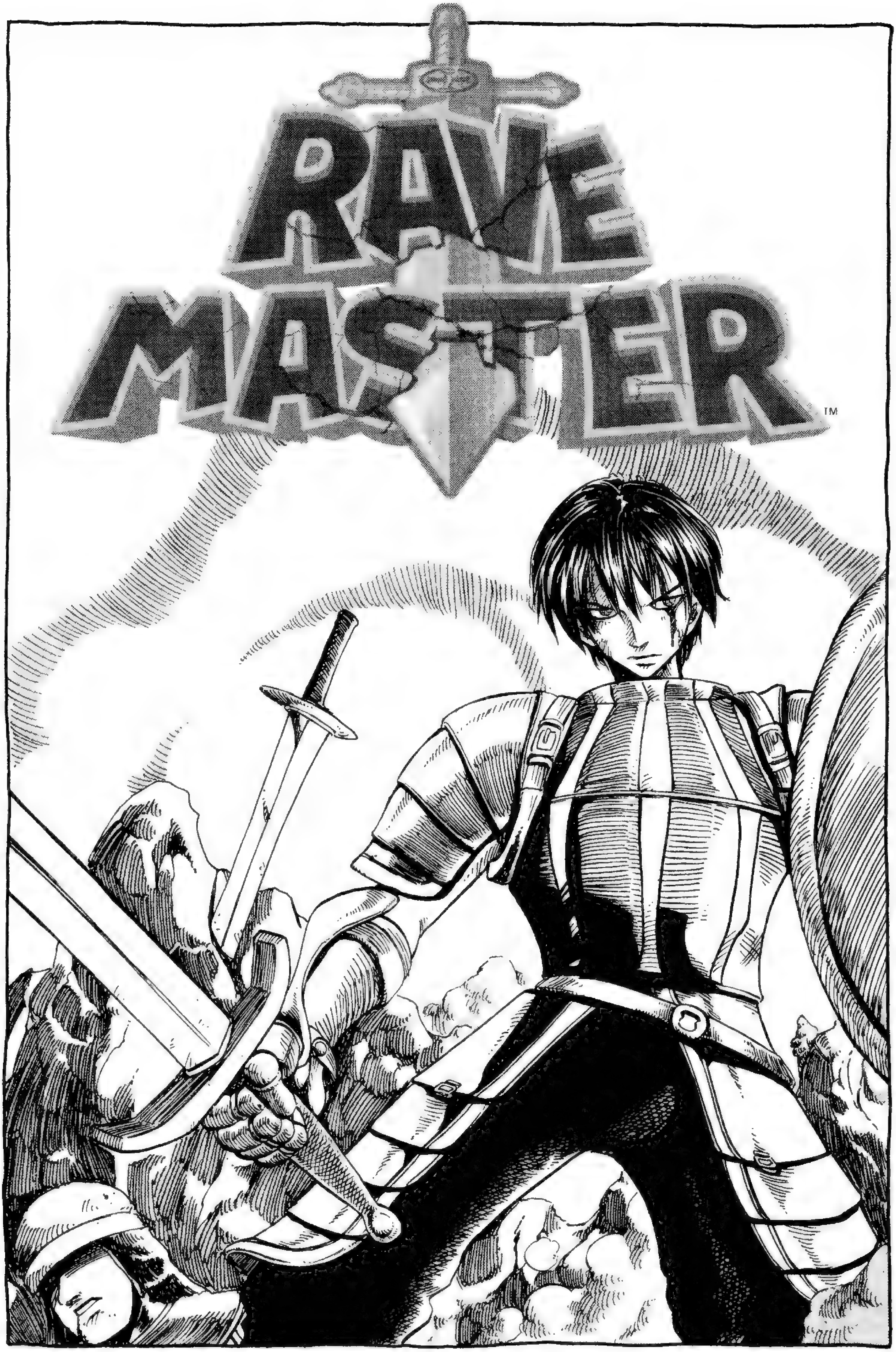
YOU CALL THOSE FLAMES?
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH.

SHUDA!!!
WE MEET AGAIN... SON OF GALE.
YOU'RE ALIVE?!
KEEP GOING. YOU'LL JUST GET IN MY WAY.
I'LL SLAUGHTER THIS RABBLE.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SHUDA!!!
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KEEP GOING. YOU'LL JUST GET IN MY WAY.
I'LL SLAUGHTER THIS RABBLE.
C'MON, HARU! LET'S GO!
EH?

THAT GUY TRIED TO KILL US BEFORE, REMEMBER?! WHY SHOULD WE TRUST THAT HE'S HERE TO HELP US NOW?!
BUT--
YOUR FRIEND IS CORRECT.
I AM NOT HERE TO SAVE YOU.
I WANT TO KILL THE FOOL WHO REPLACED ME IN THE ORACION SIX. THAT IS ALL.
JUST A SEC!
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HEY!!
I'LL CATCH UP!
HARU! WE HAVE TO RUN!
EVERYONE'S HURT!

I'M TAKING HIM, TOO!
HE'S NOT A BAD GUY. HE'S JUST BEEN DUPED.
AW, MAN... NOT HIM!
HARU'S SUCH A NICE GUY, POYO.
YOU'RE A MAN WHO STANDS BY HIS PRINCIPLES.
I SUPPOSE SO.
YOU'RE A LOT LIKE GALE.
OH YEAH... YOU SAID SOMEONE'S WAITING FOR US?
HARU!! ENOUGH!! CUT THE FRATERNIZING AND GET YOUR ASS OVER HERE!!

GALE IS...
NO. GO, AND YOU WILL SEE.
DO IT NOW.
DAD? SOMEONE RELATED TO HIM...?
BUT... WHO?
GALE'S ...?
SOMEONE RELATED TO MY MEMORIES, PERHAPS?
OKAY! ANYWAY, THANKS!!
GLAD YOU'RE ALIVE! SEE YOU LATER!

I'VE FOUND YOU, BZZ!
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AW, GREAT...! THE SPIT GUY!!
EW! WHAT'S HE DOING NOW?!
IS HE TAKIN' A DUMP?!
THIS TIME I'LL SHOW YOU MY ULTIMATE TECHNIQUE, BZZ BZZ!
COCOON ARMY!!
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THERE'S MORE OF HIM!
PUUN!!
THEY ALL HAVE THE SAME COMBAT ABILITIES AS ME, BZZ!!
YOU ARE ALL FINISHED!
ELIE!! USE YOUR TONFA BLASTERS!!
RIGHT!!
ANNOYING FLIES.
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WH-WHAT'S THIZZ?
I CAN'T MOVE!!
I REMEMBER THAT! SHUDA'S OLD DARK BRING!
SO MANY ...
AND IT STOPS THEM FROM MOVING! HE AMPED UP THE POWER!!
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THE SKY DOES NOT SUIT YOU.

WHOA...
HE'S WAY STRONGER THAN BEFORE!

WHAT ?!
LET'S GO! SHUDA'LL BE FINE!
YOU DORK! YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO WAS WORRIED ABOUT HIM!

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HMPH! ONE AFTER ANOTHER...
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TRY PARRYING THIS! THEY SPIN THROUGH THE AIR WITHOUT MAKING A SOUND...!
SILENT CHAKRAM!!
AND MY ULTIMATE UNSEEN WEAPON-- INVISIBLE CHAKRAM!
YOU TALK A GOOD GAME. SILENT, INVISIBLE...

WORDS CHANGE NOTHING.
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THIS IS REALITY.
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WHA ...?
WHAT?!
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WIND?

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THAT SWORD...IS IT THE GHOST BLADE, **ENTENKA?**
IT IS A DEMON SWORD FROM THE ORIENT SAID TO SPEW FORTH FLAMES FROM CUTTING THE WIND.
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SO, YOU'RE THE GUY THEY PICKED TO REPLACE ME. YOU LOOK LIKE SUCH A **GENTLE** SOUL... FRANKLY, I'M INSULTED.
YOUR OLD TEAMMATES HAD NOTHING BUT DISPARAGING THINGS TO SAY ABOUT YOUR ABILITIES.
IT APPEARS YOU'VE MANAGED TO INCREASE YOUR SKILLS BECAUSE OF THAT SWORD.

I WAS ALWAYS PLANNING TO TRACK YOU DOWN AND FINISH YOU OFF.
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I NEVER IMAGINED YOU'D COME TO ME.
I WILL **WIPE** YOUR **MEMORY** FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH AND PROVE THAT ONLY THE **STRONGEST** BELONG AMONG THE **ORACION** SIX.
SOUNDS LIKE QUITE AN AGENDA. ALL I WANT...
...IS TO TURN YOU TO ASH.

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Hee Hee...
FLAMES, YOU SAY? I'M SORRY... BUT THE HEAVENS ARE ON MY SIDE.
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THE STORM CLOUDS GATHER. SOON IT WILL BE POURING.
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YOU CAN'T SO MUCH AS IGNITE A SPARK.
BUT WHILE IT RAINS, I CAN UNLEASH MY TRUE ABILITIES.
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SUCH IS THE POWER GRANTED BY MY SIX STAR DB!
TO BE CONTINUED

Q&A CORNER!!

A.K.A. Question Corner

Q. What character does Hiro-kun find easiest to draw? And who's hardest, too?

(Tuck - Aichi Prefecture)

A. The critters are easiest: Plue, Griff and Bony. Musica is easiest among the humans. Haja and Deep Snow are hard to draw...though I'm not really sure why. I apologize to any characters I'll mess up in the future!

Q. I'm wondering about "The Peach Man Cometh" incomplete version on p. 89, Vol. 16. You wrote that there would be another verse...**OR DID YOU FORGET?**

(Badman Elite, Aichi Prefecture)

A. Okay,then... let's do three!!

Slow feet
Slow ship
But
Momotaro pushes on
Born from a peach
Raised as an orphan
But
He's the Peach Man!

Q. How strong is Elie's Casino Power?

(Satomi Nakamura - Nagano Prefecture)

A. As powerful as 20 million yen. Haru's 126 btw, Musica's 655 and Ruby's 20,000 power.

Afterwords

FREEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEDOMMMMMMMMM!!!
(IT'S FROM *BRAVEHEART*, SORRY IF SOME PEOPLE DON'T GET IT...)
HI...MASHIMA, HERE.

I DIDN'T HAVE MUCH ROOM FOR BONUS PAGES THIS VOLUME, SO I COULDN'T INCLUDE "LEVIN'S RAVE MASTER." I APOLOGIZE TO THOSE WHO WERE LOOKING FORWARD TO IT...

I'VE SAID THIS BEFORE--THESE BONUS PAGES EXIST IN A CRUEL WORLD THAT DOESN'T ALLOW ME TO SAY "I WANT MORE!" OR "I'M TOO BUSY TO DO MORE THAN THIS!" SO THERE MAY BE VOLUMES IN THE FUTURE THAT HAVE NO BONUS PAGES. THAT'S WHY I'M MAKING THE EXCUSES NOW. SO PLEASE--DON'T GET MAD WHEN IT DOES HAPPEN.

OH, YEAH...THAT *BRAVEHEART* (A MOVIE I LOVE) COMMENT EARLIER REMINDED ME THAT THE NAMES OF THE IMPERIAL GUARDS SHARE A COMMON TRAIT...BUT YOU'LL PROBABLY HAVE TO BE A HUGE MOVIE FAN TO FIGURE IT OUT. AS YOU CAN SEE, A LOT OF RAVE MASTER IS INFLUENCED BY MY LOVE OF MOVIES.

THE NAME DORYU WAS BASED OFF DREW BARRYMORE ('CUZ SHE SEEMS STRONG). BONNY IS FROM *BONNIE AND CLYDE* (ALSO ONE OF MY FAVORITE FLICKS). THERE SHOULD BE A LOT MORE. HECK, I BET I UNCONSCIOUSLY PUT SOME IN THERE, TOO. ANYWAY, I JUST WANTED TO SAY THAT I LOVE MOVIES! YUP. MOVIES ARE TOTALLY COOL...

HIRO MASHIMA